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PAID-UP ON 19-5-20	59,00,042

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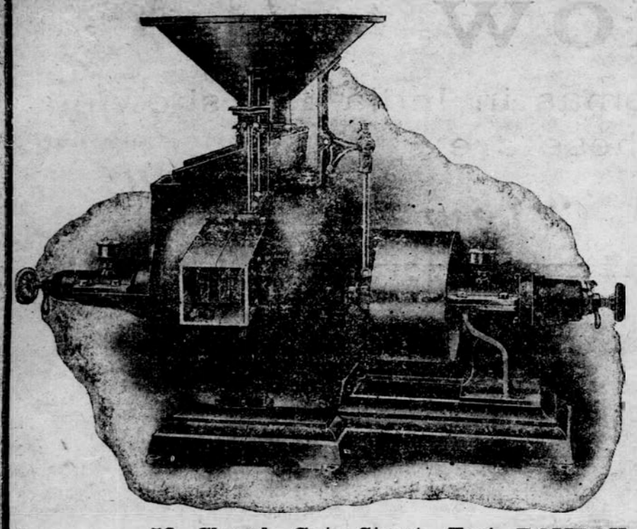

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Business in force, December 31st, 1919	Rs.	418,160,193
Increase over 1918	,,	92,442,084

INCOME

Cash Income—Premium, Interest, etc.	Rs.	21,255,402
Increase over 1918	,,	3,761,832

ASSETS

Assets at December 31st, 1919	Rs.	88,066,887
Increase over 1918	,,	7,821,708

DIVIDENDS

Dividends paid to Policyholders	Rs.	1,311,909
Increase over 1918	,,	2,79,732

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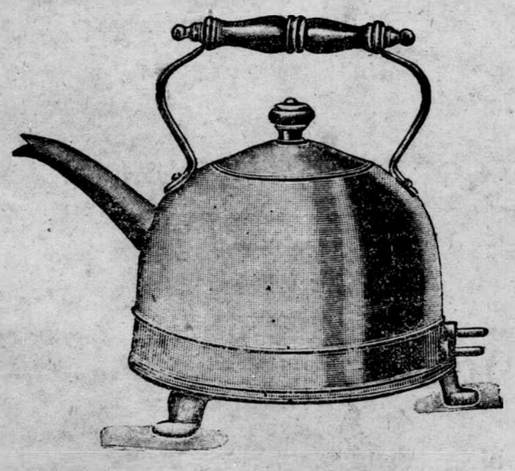

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Total Rainfall up to 8 a. m. of 16th July.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a. m. of 1920.	Total since 1st June, 1920.	June 1st to 8 a.m. of 16th July. 1918.	1919.
	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.
Colaba (Observatory)	0 22	27 38	13·67	34 01
Fort (St. George's Hospital)	0 55	29 43	12·42	36·34
Esplanade (Gok Tej. Hospital)	0 54	29 20	13·32	36·24
Byculla (J. J. Hospital)	0 72	30 72	15·81	38·32

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 15th July 1920.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m. 10 a.m. 2 p.m. 4 p. m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahs.	29.628	Inchs.
Temperature of Air	80.5	Degs
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77.3	,,
Dew Point	76.1	,,
Relative humidity of Air	0.865	,,
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy 10).	10 0	,,
Maximum temperature of Air	82.6	,,
Minimum do.	78.5	,,
General Direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WSW. W	
Movement of Wind	270 Miles.	
Fall of Rain	0.44 Inches.	
Total fall during month	19.15	,,
Do. do. year	28.63	,,
Additional all of rain up to 10 a.m. of 16th	0.07	,,

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights the tides in Bombay Harbour, during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at Prince's Dock sill.

Day of Week	Day of Month	HIGH WATER Bombay mean Time	Depth on Sill	Day of month	LOW WATER Bombay mean Time.	Depth on Sill.
	July	h. m.	ft. in.	July	h. m.	ft. in.
Sat.	17	m 0 29a	30 5	17	m 5 48	14 3
					6 43a	16 5
Sun.	18	m 0 35	22 4	18	m 6 35	14 8
		1 11a	30 2		7 27a	16 1
Mon.	19	m 1 24	26 2	19	m 7 20	15 6
		1 52a	29 8		8 9a	16 2
Tues.	20	m 2 12	27 8	20	m 8 3	16 8
		2 32a	28 8		8 52a	16 7
Wed.	21	m 3 0	26 11	21	m 8 46	16 0
		3 11a	27 7		9 38a	17 2
Thur.	22	m 3 51	26 0	22	m 9 33	19 4
		5 51a	26 5		10 28a	17 2
Fri	23	m 11 43	30 4	23	m 0 0	14 2
		11 45a	28 1		6 57a	17 0

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Friday, the 16th July, 1920, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Hissar reports 0.43in. of rain and Ambala 0.12in. Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. Humidity is above normal and day temperature is below the average at Lahore, Hissar and Delhi. Night temperature is in excess at Rawalpindi.

The United Provinces.—Agra reports 1.65in. of rain, Cawnpore 1.62in. and Allahabad 2.24in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Humidity is in slight excess at Agra. Day temperature is in defect at Allahabad.

Sind and Rajputana.—Nearly general rain has fallen in east Rajputana; Jaipur reports 0.17in., Ajmer 0.75in., Kotah 0.91in. and Mount Abu 0.23in. Skies are clear or only lightly clouded in upper Sind and at Bikaner; elsewhere cloud is moderate to heavy. Humidity is in excess and day temperature is in defect in east Rajputana.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Surat reports 0.45in. of rain and Indore 4.90in Skies are overcast at most stations. Humidity is above normal at Bhavnagar-Para and Indore. Day temperature is in defect at Surat and Bhavnagar-Para.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been nearly general, but has been light at most stations; Khandwa reports 2.30in. and Akola 0.91in. Skies are heavily clouded. Humidity is in excess in the northwestern districts. Day temperature is moderately or considerably below normal.

The Konkan.—There has been nearly general rain; Bombay has had 0.22in., Ratnagiri 0.15in., Mormugao 0.29in and Karwar 0.45in. Skies are overcast throughout.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Rainfall has been nearly general in north Hyderabad and local in the Bombay Deccan; Belgaum has had 0.43in., Poona 0.18in., Malegaon 0.31in., Aurangabad 0.52in. and Nizamabad 0.43in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Day temperature is generally below the average.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has been nearly general in Malabar, the Konkan, north Hyderabad, the Central Provinces, the United Provinces, the east Punjab and east Rajputana, and local in the Bombay Deccan, Gujarat, and Central India West. The heaviest fall is 4.90in. at Indore. Day temperature is low generally in the area of rain inside.

Forecast.—An increase of rainfall appears probable in the Central Provinces and an extension in Gujarat, Kathiawar, Central India West and west Rajputana.

India Telegraphic Summary for the 15th July 1920.

The depression at the head of the Bay has not developed. The monsoon has extended into the north and the central Punjab. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Bengal, Chota Nagpur, the United Provinces, Central India, the east of the Central Provinces, the Konkan and Malabar, and local in Upper Burma, Assam, Bihar, Orissa, the east and north Punjab, Central India, the west of the Central Provinces and Mysore. A few falls have also occurred in Kashmir, east Rajputana, Gujarat and the Bombay Deccan.

Chief amounts not already shown in the Bombay Report are:—Mergui, Rangoon, Diamond Island, Kyaukpyu two inches; Tavoy, Moulmein, Akyab three; Dibrugarh one and a half; Cherrapunji two; Cox's Bazar one and a half; Sambalpur one; Ranchi five; Daltonganj three; Benares, Babraich one and a half; Gorakhpur a quarter; Bareilly a half; Mussooree, Dehra Dun three; Ludhiana two; Sialkot a half; Khushab one; Sutna, Seoni, Pendra one; Mercara four.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 HOURS ON FRIDAY, THE 16th JULY 1920.

STATIONS	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours.	Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity. 8 hrs.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours	Total, 1st June to date	Departure, 1st June to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bussire	..	..	..	..	0	..
Do. (15th)	93.2	86.4	49	..	0	..
Jask	96.5	80.4	63	..	0	—0.08
Muskat	101.3	92.8	62	..	0	—0.18
Do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
PUNJAB—						
Multan	100.6	84.6	66	..	1.19	—0.31
Rawalpindi	96.7	80.5	66	..	4.18	—1.23
Lahore	94.6	80.3	82	..	1.10	—3.59
Hissar	94.2	79.1	84	0.43	0.76	—2.91
Ambala	93.5	74.4	85	0.12	5.21	—2.35
Delhi	86.3	80.6	89	..	10.39	+2.70
UNITED PROVINCES.						
Agra	93.4	79.9	93	1.65	11.19	+3.80
Mainpuri	90.9	76.3	83	0.05	9.12	+2.72
Jhansi	88.0	76.1	89	..	6.16	+4.46
Cawnpore	91.0	79.3	94	1.62	5.38	—1.80
Allahabad	88.0	77.8	81	2.24	10.72	+0.82
SIND & RAJPUTANA.						
Jacobabad	105.6	87.8	55	..	1.00	+0.38
Karachi	88.8	82.9	81	..	0.01	—2.59
Ajmer	95.2	77.0	87	0.75	18.62	+7.70
Jaipur	86.7	77.8	91	0.17	14.36	+7.41
Kotah	94.6	75.2	86	0.91	10.84	+2.32
Mount Abu	72.8	66.4	98	0.23	15.38	+2.85
GUJRAT KATHIAWAR & CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	87.2	81.2	53	..	7.54	+0.37
Dwarka	..	..	..	..	..	..
Veraval	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rajkot	90.2	79.4	66	..	14.61	+4.23
Bhavnagar Para	87.6	77.0	96	0.35	16.93	+9.50
Surat	84.9	76.7	85	0.45	16.32	—0.83
Ahmedabad	92.6	76.8	79	0.05	13.24	+2.79
Deesa	91.0	78.2	87	0.04	7.29	+0.82
Neemuch	86.3	73.9	87	..	11.58	+3.89
Indore	82.1	71.1	98	4.80	20.13	+9.54
CENTRAL PROVINCES						
Jubbulpore	78.9	73.5	91	0.11	10.24	—6.06
Saugor	80.0	73.0	98	0.24	17.40	+3.78
Hoshangabad	79.1	73.4	95	0.13	13.69	+0.38
Khandwa	83.5	71.6	94	2.30	14.54	+5.31
Akola	78.2	72.3	90	0.91	5.00	—5.22
Amraoti	79.2	72.3	93	0.04	5.27	—5.37
Nagpur	80.2	73.9	85	0.29	8.90	—7.51
Chanda	..	..	..	..	..	..
Raipur	77.6	70.6	87	0.14	7.77	—7.06
KONKAN—						
Bombay	82.5	78.5	84	0.22	27.38	—6.78
Ratnagiri	88.3	77.9	80	0.15	31.50	—16.18
Marmugoa	83.4	76.6	89	0.29	45.83	—1.54
Karwar	83.5	75.5	90	0.45	49.19	—10.79
BOMBAY DECCAN & HYDERABAD—						
Belgaum	83.7	72.5	87	0.31	2.93	—4.31
Ahmednagar	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poona	80.0	69.4	86	0.18	9.40	+0.74
Sholapur	85.5	73.9	67	..	1.58	—6.37
Bijapur	84.4	72.5	77	..	4.69	+0.23
Belgaum	71.7	68.2	94	0.43	17.12	+0.66
Aurangabad	77.4	70.4	92	0.52	1.74	—6.99
Nizamabad (Indr).	81.3	71.9	83	0.43	12.52	+2.15
Hyderabad	85.5	74.0	81	..	8.03	+0.35
MALABAR & CEYLON.						
Mangalore	85.6	75.1	85	0.58	70.54	+12.02
Calicut	84.4	76.9	86	0.41	78.61	+27.91
Cochin	82.2	74.1	85	1.04	62.56	+21.26
Colombo	85.1	78.0	86	..	18.61	+7.46
MADRAS EXCLUDING MALABAR) & MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	98.2	80.2	64	..	4.64	—2.10
Bellary	93.8	76.5	61	..	0.70	—2.10
Cuddapah	94.0	80.2	55	..	3.60	—1.48
Madras	96.8	81.0	60	..	1.12	—2.51
Bangalore	88.3	66.9	78	..	3.69	—1.58
Coimbatore	89.6	71.7	66	..	2.52	—0.02
Trichinopoly	97.4	79.4	54	..	0.89	—1.17
Negapatam	97.6	80.3	69	..	0.70	—1.47

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The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and the level of the tide at 6-45 a.m., Standard Time on the 16th July 1920 was 29.855 inches. For temperatus corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased 0.13 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg.

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Dated this 14th day of July, 1920.

By Order of the Board,
P. A. HORMASJEE & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.
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NOTICE.

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To transact the following business:—

(1) To confirm the Minutes of the Statutory Meeting held on the 31st December, 1919.

(2) To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Accounts up to 31st March, 1920.

(3) To sanction the declaratiotn of a dividend

(4) To appoint Directors in place of those who retire by rotation.

(5) To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

(6) To transact such other business as may be put before the Meeting by the Chairman.

By order of the Board of Directors,
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J. C BANERJEE,
Managing Agents.
Dated, Calcutta, the 9th July 1920.
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By Order of the Board,
TATA SONS LIMITED,
Agents,
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Director.
Navsari Buildings,
Hornby Road, Fort,
Bombay, 6th July 1920.
2319

SALE OF A VALUABLE AND EXTENSIVE PROPERTY AT MAZAGON.

THE Trustees of the Tulsidas Gopalji invit offers for the purchase of their property situated at Mazagon, a description thereof given below, the offers in sealed covers with a cheque for Rs. 10,000 should be sent to Sir Bhalchandra Krishna, Kt., at his residence, Churni Road, Bombay, on or before the 31st of July 1920. The Trustees are not bound to accept the highest or any particular offer. If an offer or offers is or are approved of the same shall be submitted to the High Court for sanction, without which sale could not be made.

The property is held under a lease from the Secretary of State for India for 99 years from the year 1872. The same admeasures no less than 30,774 yards more or less. It is within reach of the two Railways and the Mazagon Tram Terminus is at its corner. It has extensively wide frontages the Mazagon Road, Matarpakhadi Road, Dockyard Road and the Gunpowder Road. A very wide newly constructed Road passes through this property giving two more wide frontages.

The sale will be subjected to sub-lease which expires on the 1st of March, 1925.

DESCRIPTION:—All that piece or parcel of that land or ground with the messuages, tenements, bungalows, outhouses, standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Mazagon, outside the Fort of Bombay, in Registration Sub-District of Bombay assessed by the Collector of Assessment under Old No. 3 and New No. 16232 and by the Assessor of Municipal Taxes under Street Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 4-12-65-67, and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the Gunpowder Road, on or towards the West by the Mazagon Road, towards the North by Matarpakhadi Road and on or the South by Dockyard Road.

The land with the building or buildings thereon, situated at Mazagon, in the Island of Bombay, and containing by admeasurement 30,774 yards or thereabout.

Before coming to the Court for sanction the intending purchaser will be required to deposit with the Trustees a further sum of Rs. 40,000 (forty thousand), which will be a conditional precedent to the application for sanction. If the offer is not approved of by the Trustees, or the same is not sanctioned by the Court the amount of deposit will be returned without deduction.

By order of the Trustees.
V. P. PURANIK,
Secretary.
Tulsidas Gopalji Charity,
Girgaum No. 1.
2104

PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE HINDOOSTAN SPG. & WG. MILLS CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 29th July, 1920, at 4 p.m. (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Hummum Street, Fort, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1ST.—To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Annual Audited Accounts and Balance Sheet made for the year ending 31st March, 1920.

2ND.—To declare a Dividend.

3RD.—To elect two Directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.

4TH.—To appoint Auditors for the year 1920-1921 and to fix their remuneration.

5TH.—To transact any other busintss that the Chairman may bring before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
THACKERSEY MOOLJEE & CO.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
Bombay, 30th June, 1920.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th July 1920 to 7th August 1920, both days inclusive.
2550

THE WESTERN INDIA SPG. & MFG. CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTIETH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 29th July, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Hummum Street, Fort, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1ST.—To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts and Balance Sheet made for the year ending 31st March, 1920.

2ND.—To declare a Dividend.

3RD.—To elect two Directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.

4TH.—To appoint Auditors for the year 1920-1921 and to fix their remuneration.

5TH.—To transact any other business which the Chairman may bring forward at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
THACKERSEY MOOLJEE, SONS & CO.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.
Bombay, 14th July, 1920.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th July 1920 to 7th August 1920, both days inclusive.
2549

THE INDIAN MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-NINTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 29th July, 1920, at 4-15 p.m. (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Hummum Street, Fort, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1ST.—To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts and Balance Sheet made for the year ending 31st March, 1920.

2ND.—To declare a Dividend.

3RD.—To elect two Directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.

4TH.—To appoint Auditors for the year 1920-1921 and to fix their remuneration.

5TH.—To transact any other business which the Chairman may bring forward at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
DAMODHER THACKERSEY MOOLJI & CO.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.
Bombay, 15th July, 1920.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th July 1920 to 7th August 1920, both days inclusive.
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THE COORIA SPINNING & WEAVING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 23, Church Gate Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st July, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. (Standard Time), to transact the following business:—

I. To receive the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts made up to 31st March, 1920.
II. To declare a Dividend.
III. To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation.
IV. To appoint an Auditor or Auditors for the current year and fix his or their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Saturday, the 17th July, to Monday, the 31st July, 1920, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.
J. COWASJEE JEHANGIR & CO.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.
23, Church Gate Street.
Bombay, 13th July, 1920.
2502

LOST OR MISLAID.

LOST OR MISLAID ONE DIVIDEND WARRANT No. 230 for Rs. 100 in the name of Bai Kapar, widow of Hirachand Lalji, one who will present to the Emper Edward Mill or to the following address will be rewarded with thanks
BHAGWANJI AMERCHAND,
97, Mint Road.

NOTICE.

THE VIRGIN MILLS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the above Company will be opened from MONDAY, the 2nd day of August, 1920, and transfer forms with Documents of title will be accepted for transfer between the hours 11-30 a.m. to 2-30 p.m. on week days and between 11-30 a.m. to 1-30 p.m. on Saturdays.

BAPTIST & CO.,
Managing Agents.
Registered Office,
10, Homji St. Elphinstone Cirrle, Fort,
Bombay, 15th July, 1920.
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Bombay, 15th July, 1920.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

ELECTORAL ROLL--BOMBAY CITY.

RULERS and Subjects of Native States are not held disqualified for registration in the Electoral rolls of the Bombay Legislative Council, the Indian Legislative Assembly, and the Council of State. Any persons duly qualified whose names have not been registered should apply at once to the Superintendent, Electoral Work, Cruickshank Road, Bombay, giving their names with their addresses in full, and stating their qualifications. In particular, they should state the amount of monthly rent they pay for their houses, and whether pay any income tax. Applications received after the 31st July cannot be attended to.

C. N. SEDDON,
Reforms Commissioner.
Bombay.
2570

NOTICE.

THE GOUD SARASWAT BRAHMAN CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETY, LTD.

THE ALLOTMENT LETTERS, Shareholders' Cards and Copies of Bye-laws of the above Society will be posted to the Members at their registered addresses on or about the 25th inst. Members are requested to intimate immediately any change of address to the undersigned.

S. N. KANVINDE,
Hony. Secretary.

"Anand-Kanan", Choupaty Road,
15th July, 1920. a 2582

NOTICE.

INVITING ENDERS FOR LEASING OUT MOTIPURA MARBLE AND BHULVAN GRANITE QUARRIES.

TENDERS for a lease from the 1st of September, 1920, for working the Motipura marble and Bhulvan granite quarries situated by the site of the Chhuchhapura Railway Station on H. H. the Gaekwar's Dabhoi Railway in Sankheda Taluka of the Baroda State for a term of five years are hereby invited and will be received in the office of the undersigned in the Kothi Buildings, on or before 4-0 p.m. on 16th August, 1920, during office hours.

2. Copies of the conditions of the lease can be obtained from the undersigned on payment of two Rupees per copy.

3. No samples from the quarries will be supplied to the tenderers.

4. The acceptance or non-acceptance of the highest or any tender rests with the Government.

5. The successful tenderer will have to enter into an agreement with the undersigned.

CHIEF ENGINEER,
Huzur P. W. Department.
2384 Baroda State.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that JAINABBOO, widow of Mulla Fidaalli Gulamhusein has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients.

Any person having any claim or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease, or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office in Cama Building, Medows Street, Fort, and to the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of perpetual Leasehold land or ground situate, lying and being on the Southern side of Mahomedan Street, wihout the Fort and the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 222, 2/9 square yards or thereabouts (including therein space 2½ feet wide originally left for a passage) forming portion of land bearing Collector's Old No. 207 and New Survey No. 3694 and registered in the books of the Lessor unler No. 11 together with the messuage, tenement or lwelling house or chawl standing thereon and assessed by the Bombay Municipality under E Word No. 3872 and Street No. 59, Mahomedan Street and bounded as follows that is to say, on ir towards the East by a Gully and beyond that by a rouse of Alibhoy Jaitha, on or towards the West by a Gully and beyond that by the house of Alarkhia Rahim, on or towards the North by Mahomedan street and on or towards the North by Mahomedan street and on or towards the Sout by a sweepers passage and is now occupied by the Vendor and her tenants.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1920.

JEHANGIR MEHTA & SOMJI.
2572 Purchasers' Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. KANYALAL PARMANAND has contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property agreed to be sold to him by Bai RATANBAI, wife of Dinsha Dhunjisha Nasikwalla and DINSHA DHUNJISHA NASIKWALLA. All persons having any claim, right, title or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof, whether by way of mortgage, sale, gift, lease, trust, inheritance, charge, possession, maintenance, or otherwise, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at 3, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without regard to any such claim which shall then be considered to have been waived and regarded as null and void.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that Piece or parcel of land or ground of the Pension and Tax Tenure (now redeemed) with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate at Lady Jamsedji Road, Dadar, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 300 sq. yards and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 236, New No. 1-A/3903, Old Survey No. 2/273, New Survey No. 2A/1432 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Taxes under G Ward No. 4194 (2), Street No. 355A and bounded, on or towards the North by the said Lady Jamsedji Road, on or towards the South and East by the property of Anandrao Pandurang and on or towards the West by the property of Madusudan Damodar.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1920.

DHARAMSI & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
2592

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Public that at a sale by Auction on 28th April, 1920, by Mr. Ebrahim Haji Ahmed, the Receiver appointed in High Court Suit No. 721, 1916, (wherein Ebrahim Haji Ahmed and others were plaintiffs and Haji Ebrahim Saleh Mohomad was defendant) who had been authorised to sell the undermentioned property by an Order made in Suit No. 3585 of 1919 on 5th February, 1920, our client agreed to purchase the undermentioned property.

All persons having any right, claim or demand of what nature or kindsoever in or to the said property by sale, mortgage, gift, lease, lien, easements, inheritance or anywise howsoever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to Messrs. Smetham, Byrne and Co., Attorneys for the purchaser at their office No. 18, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise such sale will be completed without reference to such alleged right, claim or demand.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground partly Fazindari and partly Government Pension or Tax with the messuages, tenements, chawls and buildings standing thereon, situate on the South side of the public road leading from Parel or Mahim Road, otherwise called Curry Road to Foras Road, in the Island of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, which said piece of land contains by admeasurement 1,992 square yards or thereabout, registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 95, New No. 16585, Old Survey No. Nil, New Survey No. 2/2543, and which said messuages, chawls, buildings and premises are assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under F Ward No. 302-303 (1) 303 (2), Street Nos. 59-60-60 A, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the property formerly of Luxmidas Haribhai now belonging to the Jacob Sassoon Mills Co., Ltd., on or towards the West and South by the property formerly of Parel Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd., now known as the New Islam Mills, and on or towards the North by Curry Road leading from Parel and Mahim Road to Foras Road.

SMETHAM, BYRNE & CO.,
Attorneys for the Purchaser.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. HAJI JOOSF HAJI SIDICK, of Bombay, Catchi Mahomedan Inhabitant, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof, by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise, is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us in our Office No. 14 K, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land together with the messuage or dwelling house standing thereon, situate at Mahim, Bazar Road, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 367 square yards or thereabouts, and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 37, and bounded on the East by Fazandari land, on the West by the house of Rejibai Magelam, on the North by the Sea Shore and on the South by the Public Road, and which said premises are assessed by the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward No. 5182 and Street No. 7, Mahim, Bazar Road, and were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the said Vendor, Haji Joosf Haji Sidick.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1920.

MERWANJI KOLA & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that JIVANCHAND DHARAMCHAND, GULABCHAND DHARAMCHAND, MAGANBHAI DHARAMCHAND, KUSUMCHAND LALUBHAI and NAVINCHAND LALUBHAI, the last two minors by their duly appointed guardian Chandulal Dayabhai, all of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitants, have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having or claiming any estate, right, title, interest, claim or demand unto upon or in respect of the said property or any portion thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes and to the undersigned at their Office, at No. 11, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard or reference to such claim or claims, if any, and the same will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax Land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Harkness Road, Malabar Hill, without the Fort, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 572, New No. B/2716, Old Survey No. 21/22, A/24 and New Survey No. 71790 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Taxes under D Ward No. 3235, Street No. 1 and containing by admeasurement 2491 square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows tiat is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Bhasker Sunderji and now of Khoja Mahomed Rowji, on or towards the West by the property forming part of the property of Kalliandas Kirparam, on or towards the Sohth by the said Harkness Road and which and all the said premises were formerly and are now in the occupation of the vendors and their tenants.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1920.

PURNANAND & CLUBWALLA,
2560 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by a Deed of Assignment bearing date the 12th day of June, 1920, Wamanrao Dadaji Rane, sole owner and proprietor of the business lately carried on by him at New Queen's Road, without the Fort of Bombay, under the name and style of "Empire Automobiles" sold and assigned the whole of the said business including its assets and liabilities and goodwill to Rane, Limited, a Limited Company registered under the Indian Companies Act 1913 and that the said Company is now the owner and proprietor of the said Empire Automobiles business including the right to use the name of Empire Automobiles for its own purposes and benefit and on its own account.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1920.

LITTLE & Co.,
Attorneys for Wamanrao Dadaji Rane and Rane Limited.
Old Secretariat,
Apollo Street, Fort. 2489

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

PRIZE RS. 1,000.

OUR CLIENTS Messrs. RIKHAVDAS MANALAL (Khara Kuva Jhaveri Bazar) inform us that on the 14th instant, at about 4 p.m. their Munim Gokalchand dropped from his pockets 5 Currency Notes of Rs. 1,000 each which he had received in exchange from the Currency Bank. The said Notes were missed between the Currency Bank and the Bori Bunder Tramway station. Whoever will produce the said Notes to the undersigned or their clients or will give information leading to the return of the said five Notes will be awarded a prize of Rupees One Thousand.

MOTICHAND & DEVIDAS,
Attorneys for Messrs. Rikhavchand Manalal.
Nanabhai Lane, Fort,
Bombay, 15-7-1920. 2563

NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Public that FIDA HUSSEIN MULLA MAHOMEDALLY, of Bombay, Borah Mahomedan Inhabitant, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients Messrs. FRANCIS MANU GOMES and MICHAEL FRANCIS GOMES. Any person or persons having any claim or claims to the same by way of inheritance, gift, mortgage, lease, lien, possession, or otherwise howsoever, are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 40, Meadows Street, within the Fort of Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any such claim and the same (if any) will be considered to have been waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Gowthan land with the messuages tenements newly built dwelling house and a well thereon situate at Kasba Bandra, Pakhadi Khari in the District of Thana, in the Registration Sub-District of Bandra, containing by admeasurement 949 square yards or thereabouts, bearing City Survey Nos. 51 and 52A and bounded, on or towards the East by the land of the Purchasers on or towards the west by the vacant land bearing City Survey No. 54, belonging to Mr. Antone Zuze and another, on or towards the South by the house of Mr. Gustin Doming Cardos and others, and on or towards the North partly by the land of Mr. Antone Zuze D'Souza and another and partly by the land of Mr. M. Rodrigues and which premises are now vacant.

Dated this 16th day of July 1920.

CHITNIS MOTILAL & KANGA,
Attorneys for the Purchasers.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that FAIZULABHAI MULLA ABDUL HOOSEIN, of Kurla, Boran Mahomedan Inhabitant has contracted to sell to our client Mr. ABDULLABLY KERKABHOY, also of Bombay, Boran Mahomedan, the undermentioned property. Any oason of persons having or making any claim against the said property by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, exchange, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lien, or otherwise howsoever is or are requested to make the same known in writing to us at our office at No. 9, Bell Lane, Fort, within 14 days from the date hersof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Maliki land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house or chawl standing thereon situate, lying and being at Kurla, Taluka Salsette, in the Registration Sub-district of Kurla, District Thana, containing by admeasurement 565 3/9 square yards or 4¾ Gunthas or thereabouts and registered in the Land Revenue under Survey No. 219, Plot No. 12, Revenue Assessment annas six and assessed in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and by the Kurla Municipality formerly under No. 823 and now under No. 351 and which said premises are bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the East by the Road of the Bombay Municipality, on or towards the West by the passage of Karmally Peerbhoy, on or towards the North by the mosque belonging to Borah Community and on or towards the South by the remaining portion of Pot No. 12 Survey No. 219 belonging to Abdullabhai Kadarbhai. As Kurla Village belong to Khot there is no entry No.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1920.

MATUBHAI JAMIETRAM & MADON,
Purchaser's Attorney.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

NO. 1920. E. 1941 RECD. 10-7-20.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of KASHIBAI, wife of Jetha Damodar, late of Bombay, Lohana Hindu Inhabitant ..... Deceased.

JETHA DAMODAR, of Bombay, Lohana Hindu Inhabitant, a Broker, residing at Vadgady, outside the Fort ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this ninth day of July in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty and in the eleventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court Bombay.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
Ag. Registrar.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD.

The 9th day of July, 1920.
Messrs. MADHOWJI KAMDAR & CHHOTUBHAI,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
2559

LEGAB NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. GOOLAMALI NOOR MAHOMED has contracted with our client, HAJI HABIB GANI, for the absolute sale to him free from all claims and incumbrances of the undermentioned property. All persons having any claim or interest to or in the said property or any part thereof, by way of sale, gift, inheritance, residence, use, trust, maintenance, possession, mortgage, lease, lien, charge or otherwise howsoever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office, Albert Building, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, as otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claims, if any, and the same will be considered and treated as having been absolutely waived and abandoned.

THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground together with the messuages tenements and dwelling houses standing thereon, situate, lying and being on the junction of a site of Jambli and Janjikar Street, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 726 square yards or thereabouts, and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward Nos. 1461-63, 1851, 1854 and Street Nos. 5-25, 305-307 and 1, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey Nos. 2410, 2412, and which said piece of land is known as Plot No. 3, Mandvi Koliwada, and bounded as follows:—i.e. to say, on or towards the East by Plot No. 4 and service passage, on or towards the West by Jambli Street, on or towards the North by Janjikar Street, and on or towards the South by 10 feet service passage, and which said premises have been in the occupation of the Vendor and his tenants.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1920.

BHAISHANKAR KANGA & GIRDHARLAL,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
2568

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of HAJI MOHIDIN BALA, late of Bombay, Kokni Sunni Mahomedan Inhabitant, and residing at Jail Road, outside the Fort of Bombay, a Clerk in the employ of Khan Bahadur Haji Abdul Rehman Kadwani ..... Deceased.

EBRAHIM HAJI MOHIDIN, of Bombay, Kokni Sunni Mahomedan Inhabitant, residing at Kambekar Street, without the Fort of Bombay ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed Deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this seventh day of July in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty and in the eleventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
Acting Registrar.

(Sd. W. J. HOWARD.

The 7th day of July, 1920.
Messrs. MULLA & MULLA,
Petitioner's Attorneys.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATUR AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of Clauses 12 and 13 of the Trust Deed, dated 7th December, 1916, made and executed by Vanmalidas Jiwandas Goraghandy, late of Bombay, Bhansali Hinu Inhabitant, deceased, which by the Decree, dated 21st October, 1919, in Suit No. 2886 of 1919 O.S. of this Hon'ble Court (Dr. Parbhudas Goculdas and others vs. Diwalibai) have been held to constitute a will of the said deceased with regard to his moveable property, but not the rents of the immoveable properties subject of the said Deed.

Dr. PARBHUDAS GOCULDAS, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, at present residing at No. 8, Khetwadi Main Road, outside the Fort of Bombay, a Medical Practitioner in the service of the Indore State, one of the executors according to the tenor of the said Will ..... Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Probate.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this ninth day of July in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty and in the eleventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
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(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD.

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Bombay, 17th July, 1920.

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, July 14th.

	Bales
Total Days' Sales at Livepool	3,000
,, ,, Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	...
,, ,, Sales of East Indian	50
,, ,, Imports	...
Mid. Americans Spot	21.08
Egyptian F. G. F. Sakels	62.00
New York 11 a.m. (As known is in Liverpool at closing time) July	40.80
Oct.	33.54
Jan.	30.95
New Orleans 10 a.m. July	36.40
Oct.	32.95

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, July 14th:

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's price
July	...
Aug.	23.67
Sept.	22.51
Oct.	22.48
Nov.	21.85
Dec.	...
Jan.	20.98
Feb.	...
Mar.	...
April	...
May	...
June	...

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, July 14th

Months	To-day's price
July.	24.21
Aug.	23.59
Sept.	23.14
Oct.	22.60
Nov.	21.97
Dec.	21.40
Jan.	21.06
Feb.	20.77
Mar.	20.45
April.	20.23
May.	19.99
June.	19.72

Tone:—Steady.

Liverpool, July 15th:

Months.	To-day's price.
July	24.78
Aug.	23.97
Jan.	21.42
Mar.	20.80

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, July 14th:

M.G. Bengal Good	9.00
,, ,, Fully Good	9.75
,, ,, Fine	10.25
,, No. 1 Oomra Good	15.00
,, ,, ,, Fully Good	16.00
,, ,, ,, Fine	16.00
,, Broach Good M.G.	16.05
,, ,, ,, ,,	19.35
,, ,, ,, ,,	19.85
,, Broach Good	8.82
,, ,, Fully Good	9.57
,, ,, Fine	10.07

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, July 12th:

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	7,000
,, Exports to Great Britain	...
,, ,, to Continent	7,000
Futures at New York July	30.65
,, ,, ,, Oct.	33.35
,, ,, ,, Jan.	30.98
Tone.—Firm.	
Spot Cotton at New York	40.50
,, ,, Orleans	39.00
Futures at New Orleans July	36.20
,, ,, Oct.	32.71
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	13 3/8
Demand Bills	3.04.00
Silver Commercial Bars	66½
U. S. Mined Refined	66½
Do. Foreign	92½

New York, July 13th:

Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	3,000
,, Exports to Great Britain	Nil
,, ,, to Continent	Nil
Futures at New York July	40.30
,, ,, Oct.	33.17
,, ,, Jan.	31.03
Tone:—Steady.	
Spot Cotton at New York	41.00
,, ,, Orleans	39.00
Futures at New Orleans July	36.23
,, ,, Oct.	32.73
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	13 3/4
Demand Bills	3.03.00
Silver Commercial Bars	66½
United States Mined Refined	66½
Do Do Foreign	92½

New York, July 15th.

Futures at New York July	41.73
,, ,, Oct.	34.30
,, ,, Jan.	31.42

MONEY MARKETS.

London, July 13th.

Rentes 3%	58
Bar Silver Spot	33 5/8
,, 2 months hence	33 3/8

Closing Tone of Silver:—Advanced owing to small supplies. There was and little Indian buying. Quiet.

Discount, Bank of England Rate 7 per cent since 15th April 1920.

Discount Bank 3 m/st.	6 5/8
,, Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	7
,, Fine Trade Bills 3 months	7 1/8
,, ,, ,, ,, 6 ,,	7 1/2

Bar Gold (per oz.)	104/6
Interest day to day loans	4 3/4
,, 7 days market loans	5 3/8
Telegraphic Transfers	...
Consols 2½%	47 1/4
Rupee Paper 3½%	52 1/8
Indian Stock 3½% Sterling Loans	56 1/2
Government Securities 5%	48 1/4
Bs. On London at Paris Francs	46.98

SHARES.

Chartered Bank	£76
Hongkong Bank	£117 1/2
National Bank	£50 1/2

WAR LOANS.

London, July 13th.

Founding Loan 4%	£70 1/2
Victory Loan 4%	£78
5% New	£86 9/16

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London July 13th.

WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe—62lb. Nominal	84
Australian—61lbs. Nominal	96

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Yellow Guzerat, 416lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug. Sellers	£34
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug Sellers	£38
Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex Ship July-Aug. Nearest	£37

Tone of Linseed:—Opened easier but closed better.

Linseed, Argentine, (La Plata) July-Aug. Nearest	£32
Cottonseed, Bombay (sound delivered per ton July-Aug. Quiet Nearest	£13½
Toria Rapeseed,—July-Aug. Hull Sellers	£37

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£102
Standard Copper G.M.B.	£99½
Copper Braziers	£103
Yellow Metals	15
Hard Spelter	27
Corrugated Sheets	£56½

JAVA SUGAR.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Aug.-Sept.	88
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay Aug.-Sept.	90/8
Fine White Java, C. & F. Karachi Aug.-Sept.	91

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Aug.-Sep.	1/11½
Plantation First Latex Crepe July Paid Buyers	1/11½

Tone:—Fair business at decline.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(From our Correspondent.)

July 16.

The Home markets have shewn fairly wide fluctuations, especially in New York for July. The lowest point in this position during the week has been 38.90, and the highest 41.73 on 15th instant. Early in the week October and January in New York fell to 32. 64 and 30.30, and on 15th instant were 34.30 and 31.42 respectively. In Liverpool July touched 23.71, October 22.15 and January 20.62 early in the week, and on 15th instant. July was 24.78, October 23.07 and January 21.42. The weather in America has continued favourable, but the markets are nervous and any change in the weather conditions would cause a rise. Trade in Liverpool is, however, slack, and until it improves we are not likely to see better markets there except temporarily.

The local market followed the downward movement at Home, but has not responded to the advance. For Fully Good Broach July/August the highest price of the week has been Rs. 445, and the lowest Rs. 434. Daily fluctuations have been small, and the general tone of the market dull. Bears have been covering quietly when an opportunity offers, and jobbers have sold on any advance. The spot quotations for ready Fully Good Broach is keenly watched, and the least fall in this quotation causes a bigger drop in the contract rate. Yesterday the variations in Broach contracts were from Rs. 434 to Rs. 438½, and the spot rate was Rs. 473. To-day the Marwadi bazaar opened at Rs. 440½, and at 1 p.m. was Rs. 439½. Closing rates are given below Bengals and Comras for July and September have been steadier, and Southern easier.

The ready market has been quiet, and the daily offtake of Bengals and Comras has been small. Stapled cotton continues in demand, and good prices are still paid for really good stapled lots of all kinds, but inferior parcels are neglected.

Crop reports are only fairly good. In the Punjab and United Provinces rain has fallen and the plants are doing well. In the Berars more rain is required, and in some places the plants are making slow progress, while in the Central Provinces the rainfall is about five inches below the average. In Khandesh also more rain is required. In Broach the plants are flourishing but a break is needed. In parts of Kathiawar the plants in low lying places have been damaged owing to too much rain, and resowing will be necessary. In the Barsi districts cotton sowing is in progress. In Dharwar more rain is wanted. A depression has formed at the head of the Bay of Bengal, and rainfall may extend into the interior during the coming week.

The area under cotton in nearly all districts is reported to be smaller this year.

QUOTATIONS 6 P.M.

	Rs.		
Fully Good Broach	436	July-Aug.	436
Fully Good Bengal	295	July	295
Fully Good Bengal	216	September	216
Fine Oomras	268	July	268
Fine Oomras	276	September	276
Good Southerns	484	July-Aug.	484

COTTON CONTRACTS BOARD.

QUOTATIONS 16TH JULY 1920.

Fully Good M.G. Bengal	July	295	Rs
,, ,, ,,	September	216	
Fully Good M.G. Broach	July-Aug.	436	
Fine M.G. Oomras	July	268	
,, ,, ,,	September	276	

SPOT QUOTATIONS.

Description.	Super fine.	Fine.	F.G.	Good	Delivery
M.G. Bengal	...	237	217	192	Ready
M.G. Sind-Punjab	...	207	217	192	,,
M.G. Oomras No. 3	308	274	244	...	,,
M.G. Central P No. 1	264	248	219	...	,,
M.G. Central P No. 2	349	314	278	...	,,
M.G. Broach	464	471	455	...	,,
M.G. Southern	...	...	...	...	,,
M.G. Dholleras	...	...	...	...	,,
M.G. Amenar P.	...	...	...	...	,,

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Snowflake	150°	at Rs.	11 0	per case
White Rose	150°	,,	11 0	,,
Chester	125°	,,	10 12	,,
Monkey	125°	,,	8 8	,,
Monkey Tins	125°	,,	8 8	8.8 tins
Elephant Tins	125°	,,	7 15	8.8 ,,
Elephant Bulk	125°	,,	6 3	8.8 Imp. Gals

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

Bar Gold Ready Rs. 21/12.
Bar Silver Read, Rs. 98.

EXCHANGE.

T. T. on London, 1/94.
D. D. on London, 1/93/16.
Credits 3 Mad/a
D. D. on Paris, Frcs. 485.
Credits 3 Mad/a Frcs. 465.
T. T. Japan, Rs. 145
60 D/st Japan, 135.
American Cross Rate Dols. 3089.
Paris Cross Rate, Frc. 46.70.
London Silver Spot D. 53/16.
London Forward D. 52/6.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

5 per cent. War Loan 88.
5½ per cent. War Bonds due 1920-22 98/8.
4 per cent. Conversion Loan, 80.
5 per cent. Terminable Loan, 91.
3½ per cent. Paper, 59.
4 per cent. Port Trust Long dated, 67.
4 per cent. Port Trust Short dated, 66.
4 per cent. Municipal Long dated, 65.
4 per cent. Municipal Short dated, 90.
4 per cent. City Improvement Trust Loan dated 64.
5 per cent. Municipal Tansa, 90.
5 per cent. Municipal Sanitary, 91/8 to 5

BANK RATES.

Bank of Bombay, ... 6 per cent.
Bank of Bengal ..... 5 per cent.
Bank of Madras ..... 7 per cent.

SHARES.

Since our last report the market has been easy but on balance the rates are lower than they were quoted about a week ago. There was a fair amount of selling in Cotton Mills shares from investors owing to sensational rise during this month of nearly 30 per cent. from the lowest rates touched.

The Yarn market has been dull here while the Cloth market continues steady. China has been selling yarn in this market and the unfavourable political situation in China brought forward many sellers in high priced shares or in those where there was a big rise. We think the market is more inclined to sag than boom in the near future.

The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange.

And. Advance 2600, By. Cotton 1340, By. Dyeing 3700, Century 1230, Cent. India 5410, Colaba Land 3200, Crescent 715, Currimbhoy 1295, David 1705, Fazulbhoy 1895, Finlay Rs. Ind. Malwa 845, Kasoorchand 2450, Kohinoor 3875, New Creat 1090, Pearls 1325, Shapurji 435, Simplex 890, Swan 1345, Swadeshi 56 Alcock 890, By. Burma 815, By. Burma N. I. 297/8, Bt. Burma Petrol 21/8, By. Tramway 1045, By. Steam 450, Ind. Cement 445, Katni Ord. 295, Katni Defd. 1525, New India Ins. 20 pr., Shivrajupur 36, Tata Ord 162/8, Tata Defd. 960, Tata Hydro 1175, Tata Oil 390, Scindia Steam 5/8 pr, Tata Bank 49.

The money market continues easy but there is a better feeling and enquiry in the market chiefly for long deposits for two or four months. The short deposit rate is still about five per cent.

Exchange was a firm market during the early part of the week but later on it eased on account of substantial support from out-stre markets. Some attribute the fall to the political situation in China from whence a fair amount of selling orders for forward T. T. were coming forth. The future is still uncertain. The applications for Reverse Bills has been heavy and barely one per cent. was allotted to the tenderers.

Silver market was firm during the early part of the week but was dull during the latter part following week advices from London. The daily off-take is about 45 bars while our stock is estimated at about 1800 bars. The stock of Silver in Shanghai is about 5.27 crores Taels—a decrease of 43 lakhs Taels. The Currency return shows 46.02 crores of Silver rupees—an increase of about 47 lakhs, and the total gold held in India and in transit at 45.89 crores—again a decrease of 8 lakhs—while our note issue stands at .99 crores.

The progress of the War Loan is watched keenly by the commercial community and so far it is a great success. We need hardly say that the six per cent. free of in-come Tax Bonds are considered as the best and the soundest investment that could be had in the market.

PIECE-GOODS.

Fair activity has been noticeable in the Cloth Market during the past week, and, as anticipated, rupee rates have taken an upward course. Transactions of about a thousand packages have resulted amongst the merchants in the bazaar, and the sellers have not been slow to put up the prices. Local as well as upcountry demand has not been much in evidence, but as the rains have been well distributed in all the districts, hopes are entertained for a brisk demand shortly. Reports have been received from the sister markets of Calcutta and Karachi regarding the firm tone prevailing there, and this has given some strength to the market here. Brokers have been busy searching for weak spots, as anything offered at two annas less than the current rates draws the buyers. But at present there are very few ready sellers and as the cost of the fresh arrivals has been enhanced owing to the decline in the rate of exchange merchants are not inclined to give any concessions. The uncertainty regarding the future course of the rate of exchange has been the subject of constant remark and anxiety to the dealers. Another question that is being asked everywhere is whether the Manchester Market will decline substantially. Makers have still to complete contracts which were placed at much higher rates, and owing to the increased cost of the raw materials and the advance in the wages of operatives, values may be maintained for some time to come. But on the other hand the depression in Lancashire weaving centres is increasing for want of orders, as buyers everywhere are disposed to hold aloof. It is reported that the Piece-goods Association in Shanghai has decided recently to try to cancel all contracts arranged since 1st January last, but dealers cannot get out of their commitments in this manner, as the manufacturers have protested against this policy, it being impossible to entertain cancellations, as the raw cotton has been bought to cover the contracts and in many instances the cloth is in the looms. Many firms in Blackburn have been holding large stocks of Dhoolias, which cannot be disposed of. It is interesting to note that the Company boom in England has surpassed all records and the new textile companies number 653 with a capital of 116 millions.

GREYS.

There has been a small demand for Manchester Grey shirtings for Malabar and Madras, but the other consuming centres seem to have diverted their enquiries to local Mill goods in preference to these. A certain calendar finish 12 lbs. Grey Cloth in 47 inches by 38 yards of thick feel sells freely at Rs. 1-12 per lb. equals Rs. 21 per piece, whereas the same quality cannot be had in Manchester even at Rs. 32. Dewhursts' Shirtings have advanced by eight annas per piece. Jaconets have improved by two annas, but the demand is not brisk.

Local Mill Cloths have been in fair demand. Sheetings have been sold at Rs. 1-11 to Rs. 1-15 and Longcloths at Rs 1-13 to Rs. 2-1.

WHITES.

In White Goods a better feeling has prevailed and values have advanced by two to four annas per piece. 26 inches Nainsooks under Rs. 6 as also superior quality Sacharilla Hdg. Mulls worth about Rs. 12 average have been scarce. Split border Nainsooks 22 and 24 inches by 18 yards have been selling well at Rs. 4-4 and Rs. 4-8 respectively. 36 inches by 20 yards Gold End Mulls have been in better request and a lot of about 60 packages has been sold by a well-known Importing Firm to a dealer in the bazaar. 58 inches by 20 yards Red End Mulls have jumped up in price to Rs. 11. Nainsooks have improved all round excepting the superior qualities in 34 inches worth from Rs. 9 to Rs. 12. Stocks of piece-goods in the Warehouses at the end of last month have shewn a heavy increase.

The quotations for the leading bops of Greys and Whites are as under:—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

	Ins.	Yds.	Rs.	a.	p.
Ralli's Farl No. 2000	39 × 37½/8	..	17	0	0
,, 100000	45 × ,,	..	20	0	0
,, No. 33000	45 × ,,	..	17	0	0
,, 2800	42 × ,,	..	14	8	0
Graham's No. 2730	39 × ,,	..	13	4	0
,, "Yellow Horse"	42 × 38	..	....		
,, No. 2310	44 × 38½	..	15	0	0
Dewhurst's "BEE"	36 × ,,	..	23	0	0
,, "BB"	,, × ,,	..	25	0	0
,, "Rupee No. 5"	39 × ,,	..	22	0	0
Bates' No. 12858	41 × 37½/8	..	36	0	0
Bombay Co.'s No. 2580	44 × 38½	..	17	8	0
,, No. 1500	39 × 37½/8	..	16	12	0
,, No. 5660	39 × 37½/8	..	14	8	0
Ritchie's No. 516	39 × 37½/8	..	16	8	0
,, ,, 4462	41 × ,,	..	17	0	0
,, ,, 1566	33 × 37/37½	..	10	4	0
Forbes' ,, 551	38 × 37½/8	..	....		
Lyon's "Shunker"	39 × ,,	..	16	12	0
Fleming's No. 1905	46 × 38	..	22	4	0

GREY MULLS—

Ralli's No. 1030	..	36 × 18	..	....	

GREY DRILLS—

Pepperell's "Dragon"	..	29 × 40	..	32	0
Ralli's Masjid No. 425	..	29 × 40	..	21	0
Mitsui's "Elephant"	..	29 × 40	..	29	0

GREY JACONETS—

Ralli's No. 18	..	45 × 22	..	11	2
,, ,, 19	..	40 × 22	..	9	2
,, ,, 138	..	40 × 36	..	15	2
,, ,, 636	..	44 × 36	..	16	2

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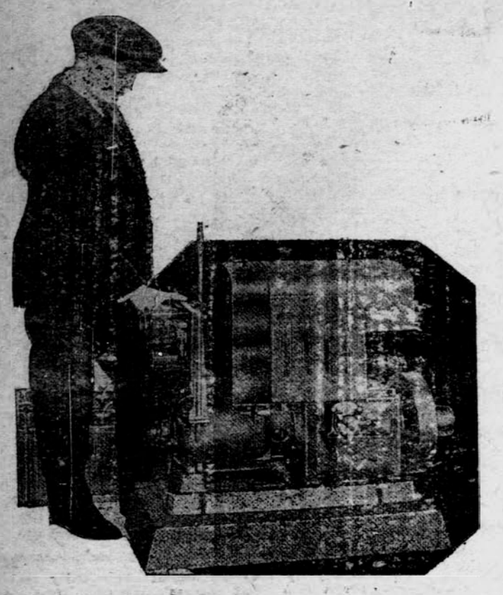

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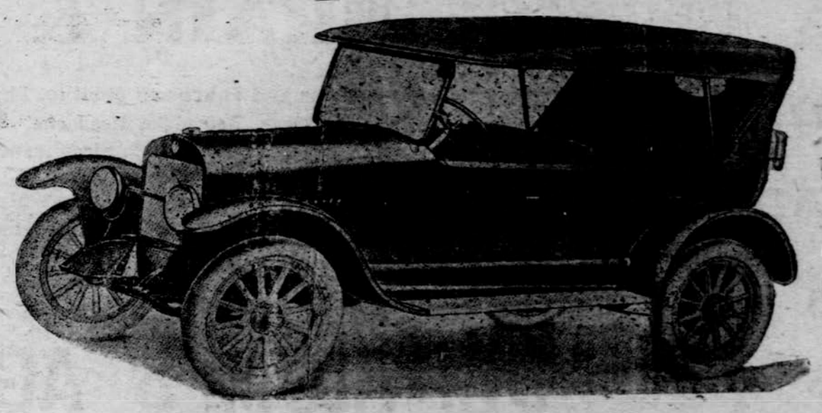

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BOMBAY MARKETS.

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SHIRTINGS—			
n's No. 1500	32×42	33	8 0
C. 4000	36×40	39	0 0
139000	"		
C. 4000	"		
No. 9889	33×40		
K.B. 100	35×40		
151	33×40	24	8 0
Rs 20.		10	4 0
g's No. 7182	30×20		
MULLS—			
No. 6	41×19	10	8 0
No. 60	46×19	11	0 0
No. 600	51×19	12	0 0
No. 6000	56×19	13	8 0
No. 88	53×20	11	0 0
No. 1270	27×18	5	6 0
Nos. 50/55/60 40/45	59×18		
No. 815	39×20	11	6
No. 250 (6 lines)	54×20		
No. 350 (6 lines)		16	8 0
No. 335 (6 lines)	60×20	17	8 0
No. 425 (6 lines)		18	8 0
No. 1446	36×20	9	0 0
No. 5352	40×20	14	8 0
No. 2751		15	8 0
No. 1703	53×20	20	12 0
No. 1260	27×18	5	0 0
119	37×18	7	0 0
229	42×18	7	8 0
339	47×18	8	0 0
M/4M 39," 44," 49,"	54×19	9	12 0
93	58×20	11	0 0
No. 66999	40×18	8	4 0
No. 86999		8	12 0
No. 775	40×18	7	14 0
No. 875	45×18	8	6 0
No. 975	50×18	8	14 0
No. 615		9	6 0
"Baloon"	58×20	11	0 0
Nos. 9/99/999/40/45	50×18		
No. 9999	55×19		
No. 142	34×19	11	8 0
No. 429	36×18	11	0 0
No. 04	58×20		
No. 5060	27×18	5	6 0
s No. 8080	27×18	5	4 0
NAINSOOKS—			
No. 2070/9090	27×18	7	10 0
Nos. 61/81	"	5	13 0
No. 1960	"	10	4 0
No. 39620 T.B.	38×22	10	4 0
s Nos. 88/8888	26×18	5	0 0
35950/97970			
Saraswati"	38×18	13	8 0
ipoo" W/W/W	34×18	9	4 0
50000	"	10	4 0
Nos. 33340/33350	"	11	4 0
No. 33360			
s Nos. 4545/5656/6767	26×18	7	8 0
Nos. 30000/50000	38×22	10	4 0
5000 T.B.		7	8 0
Nos. 3500/4510/5520	26×18		
W. & Co.'s Nos. 5800/5820		7	4 0
"Motor Car"	"		
ay Co's ZZ/ZZZZ	"		

above quotations are on bazaar terms, with discount of 5½ per cent. on Grey Goods and 4 per cent. on Coloured.

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

Bombay, July 16.

have to report a better market during the week so far as ready sugar is concerned. Small stocks and better demand and prices for ready sugars have been advanced by three rupees per cwt, all round. Owing to advance in the rates of ready sugars, near positions have had demand and June shipment was done at Rs. 53 per cwt F. B. Harbour while a number of July shipment was done at Rs. 51 per cwt F B harbour. Small business done in White Javas July September shipment at 87s. 6d. to 86s. 6d. per ton C. & F. H, Karachi and Calcutta markets are steady without business. Java markets are quiet and prices have gone down to buyers. America is also quiet with lower quotations.

The following are the bazar rates and terms :—

Rs. 56 equals 86s. F B Harbour for 100 bag.
stocks.
49 equals 90s F B Harbour stocks
Rs. 56 F B Harbour stocks 20,000

MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES.

Names and Amount Paid up.	Face value.	Div. Paid	Last Div. % Op.	Quotation nett to buyers.
	Rs.		Rs.	
AndhraValley O 600	1,000		4%	950
Andhra Valley P 600	1,000		4%	900
Ahmedabad Elec..	100		10%	220
Alcock Ashdown Co.	100	Oct.-May	160	900
All India U. Co. Ld. Rs 20.	100	August	..	4
Bamanqua	5	..	..	6
Back Bay Bath	50	..	6	50 nom.
Badham Pile	70		10	104
Baroda Tram Co.	100	Feb.-Aug.	Nil.	40
Brick and Tile	100	..	Nil.	50
By. Burma T. Corportn	125	..	30	615
By. Burma T. Corportn New Issue 25	125	..	7 1/2	287 1/2
British Burma Petroleum	8	Mar.-Oct	As 4	21 1/4
By. Electric Supply P and T. Co. Rd. O	£10	..	1½	16½
B'by Ice Mfg.	£10	..	1½	1,055
Bombay Flour Mill	40	..	2	21
Bombay Steam O Navigation Co. P	500	Jan.-Aug.	500	3,200
Bundi Hydraulic Lime and Cement	250	Mar.-Sept. Oct.	12½ 6%	460 190
Central M. Co., Ltd	10	..	3	50 1/2
Empire of I. Life Rs. 50	10	..	2	30
The Eastern O	500	April	42%	400
Chemical Co. D2ab	15	..	10%	25
Indian Cement Co.. O	10	..	..	45
Katni Cement D	250	..	20	490
	100	..	8	340
	40	..	44	1,550
Indian Cotton Oil Co. O100	100	..	7%	105
P200	250	Dec.-July	7½	75 nom.
John Roberts & Co.	100	Dec.-July	7½	215
Jost's Eng. Co., Ltd.	50	Oct.-July	15	230
Kamp & Co.	200	Oct. July	40	140
Kurramsee Leading Rs. 75.	200	..	20	190
Marcks & Co.	100	..	Nil.	140
McKenzies Ltd.	100	July	10	95
Marsland Price Co.	100	..	80	705
Marslane Price Co..	100	..	4%	90
New Union Flour Mills	100	..	7	80
O. Govt. S. Life A. Rs. 50	200	May	25	220
Phillips & Co.	40	July	30	550
Port Canning Co.	1,000	Sept.	7½	50
Shivrajpur Synd etc	10	..	50	270
Sirdar Carbne Gas Co.	100	Mar.-Aug.	2	40 1/2
Sidley Ice Mfg. Co..	100	..	35%	150
Swadeshi Stores O	100	Sept.	6	100
Tata IronSteel Co. D	75	Sept	20%	150
P	150	Mar.-Sept	8	237 1/2
Tata Iron Or (N) 30	30	..	8%	975
" Dif (,,) 100	75	..	Nil.	112 1/2
Tata Hydro Elec. O	400	..	Nil.	140
" Iron" Pref (second)	1,000	Jan.	35	190
Tata Hydro Deb. Con Ps	1,000	Jan.	35	940 x.d.
Thacker & Co.	10	..	100	8 pm.
Telephone Co.	1,000	April-Oct.	51%	6% pm.
Tata Oil Mills	50	June	20%	230
B—Buy. D—Cum D	100	..	5	210
E—Ex Dividend.	w. N.	—Nominal	..	382 1/2
			Nil	premium.

PRESS COMPANIES.

	Rs.		Last Div. p.a. Rs.	Rs.
Akbar	50	May	27	450
Albert Archee	1,000	Nov.	45	600
Bellary Dress	275	Aug.	10	100
Broach City	200	Oct.	20	150
Fort	475	Nov.	50	801.250
Godavery Valley	100		6	45
Harveyand Sabinpty	500	July	70	800
Indian Cotton	125	Oct.	15	150
Jivanji Press	100	Aug.	15	135
Jumna Ging. & P. Co. Ltd.	1,000	..	7%	550
Karachi Press Co.	500	..	40	700
Mahmudpura Cts.	100	..	8	130
Mahuva	200	Oct	Nil	195
Marmar Mfg.	250	Aug	15	205
New East Indian	1,000	Sept.	200	2,300
New Mofussil Co.	400	Nov.	60	1,125
New Bazar.	500	Oct.	50	535
New Prince of Wales	200	Oct.	50	952 1/2
Sind	200	Nov.	Nil.	1,250
Sutlej	200	Oct.	18	200
Upper I. P. Co. Ltd.	500	Sept.	35	558

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

			Half Year div. Rs.	
Ahmedabad Advance	500	April-Oct.	10	2,600
Alliance Cotton	100	..	..	365
Akola	100	..	5	120
By Cotton Manufg.	500	..	40	1,340
By. Dyeing & Mfg. Co.	250	Mar.-Sept.	330	3,700
Bombay United	250	..	25	1,345
Bradbury Mills	250	..	80	750
Century	100	Mar.-Sept.	300	1,220
Central India	500	May-Nov.	95	5,410
Central India P.	500	May-Nov.	5%	400
China	1,000	Apl.-Oct.	40	4,400
Colaba Land & Mill	700	..	150	2,800
Coorla	1,000	Mar.-Sept.	300	2,900
Cresent	100	do.	15	915
Currimbhoy	250	do.	15	1,295
David	250	do.	Nil.	1,705
Dawn	250	do.	80	420
Edward Sassoon	200	May-Nov.	15	675
Emperor Edward	200	do.	95	380
Fazulbhoy	500	Mar.-Sept.	7	1,595
Framji Petit	250	May	150	2,700
Finlay Mills	1,000	April-Oct.	50	1 230
Gold Mohor	250	..	125	1,500
Globe	500	..	Nil.	360
Hindustan	100	..	140	2,325
Hyderabad	1,000	April-Oct.	200	1,200
Ind. Dyeing and Bleaching	100	do.	12½	250
Indian Manufg.	1,000	..	100	2,088
Indo-China Mfg.	250	Mar.-Sept.	15	220
Indore Malwa	100	April-Oct.	20	645
Jamshed Manufg.	250	Mar.-Sept.	Nil.	340
Jewraj Baloo	1,000	April-Oct.	40	2,700
Kastoorchand	500	Mar.-Sept.	Nil.	2,450
Khandesh	1,000	June-Dec.	160	3,690
Khatao	1,000	June.-Dec.	100	720
Kohinoor	800	Mar.-Sept.	200	3,875
Lakshmi Cotton	1,000	Mar.-Aug.	150	3,500
Madhowji Dharamsi	500	April-Sept.	125	2,705
Mathuradas Mills	500	..	160	2,000 n.
Madras United	1,000	June.-Dec.	50	3,500
Maneckji Petit	1,000	Mar.-Sept.	200	5,500
Mayer Sassoon	100	do.	Nil.	450
Morarjee Goculdas	1,000	..	300	6,100
Nawab of Cambay	500	April-Oct.	20	400
New Great Eastern	200	..	30	1,000
NewCity of Bombay	500	April-Oct.	150	900
Pabaney	250	..	15	725
Pearl	250	..	25	1 325
Phoenix	100	Mar.-Sept.	80	1,040
Planet Mill	100	..	5	245
Premier	65	..	Nil.	250 n.
Presidency	125	Jan.-July.	Nil	400
Sassoon Cotton	1,000	April-Oct.	50	475
Sassoon Silk	500	April	50	600
Sir Shapurji Broacha Mills	100	..	Nil.	435
Sholapore	1,000	do.	250	1,400
Simplex	250	June.-Dec.	Nil.	220
Standard Mills	500	Mar.-Sept.	80	2,320
Swan	250	Oct.	50	1,345
Swadeshi	500	Mar.-Oct.	150	5,400
Tata O	500	..	Nil.	2,500
Tata P	500	..	5½	425
Upion Mill	500	..	6	755
Vishnu Cotton O	500	..	75	1,800
P	500	..	7	500
Western India	1,000	..	150	1,725
Mysore Spinning	250	Feb.-Aug	10	950

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad Dholka Ry.	100	Mar.-Aug.	7%	103
Ahmedabad Prantej Ry.	500	do.	8%	530
Amritsar Patty	100	Mar.-Aug.	9%	94
Central Provinces Ry.	100	June-Jan.	5½ %	92
Chaparmukh-Silghat	100	Mar.-Sept.	4 %	75
Dhond Baramati	100	Jan.-July	5 %	60
Futwah-Islampur Rs. 50.	100	Mar.-Sept.	4 %	50
Guzerat Ry.	100	June-Jan.	5 %	28
Hoshiarpur Doab	100	Jan.-July	4 %	67
Larkhana Railway.	100	..	4 %	65
Mandra Bhon Ry. Rs. 90.	100	April-Oct.	5 %	80
Mymensingh Bhalrab Bazaar Ry.	100	..	5 %	88
Pachora Jamner	100	Jan.-July	5 %	70
Sara Sirajganj Ry.	100	May-Nov.	5 %	73
Sialkot Narowal	100	April-Oct.	5 %	73
Sind Light Rys. Ld.	100	July-Dec.	10 %	115
Upper Sind Light Ry.	100	..	5 %	75
Tapti Valley Ry.	500	April-Aug.	9 %	580
The Khuina Bhagirathi Ry.	100	..	4 %	100

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Netherlands	4½ per cent	July	1 1914
Belgium	5 per cent	Aug.	20 1915
Austria-Hungary	5 per cent	April	10 1917
Sweden	7 per cent	April	8 1920
Spain	6 per cent	Oct.	28 1914
India { Bombay	6 per cent	June	16 1920
India { Bengal	5 per cent	July	1 1920
India { Madras	7 per cent	July	2 1920

CHEMICALS.

July 16.

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ENGAGEMENTS.

TO-DAY.

Mr. B. N. Motiwalla's lecture on "The Beggar Problem in Bombay" Prarthana Samaj Hall, 6-30 p.m.

Second Annual General Meeting, Central Co-operative Institute, Sirdar Mansions Apollo Street, 4 p.m.

Cricket Matches: (1) Hindu Gym. vs. St. Xavier's College. (2) Bombay Gym. vs. Poona Gym. 2-30 p.m.; (3) Islam Gym. vs. B. B. and C. I. Ry. (4) Parsi Gym. vs. Sydenham College.

Dr. Rawley's public lecture on "The Foreign Trade of India" at the Sydenham College, 5-30 p.m.; Sir D. E. Wacha to preside.

SUNDAY, July 18..

The Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League's Physical Culture Exhibition at the Empire Theatre, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon.

Denniston Players' Farewell Performance. Excelsior Theatre, 5-30 p.m.

The S. S. "Karmala" with the English mails leaves in the morning.

MONDAY, July 19.

Bombay Cotton Brokers' Associations (Ld.) Extraordinary Genl. Meeting, Marwari Bazar, at noon.

The s. s. Plassey with outward mails of July 1, expected to arrive at noon.

DOMESTIC OCCURANCE

DEATH

Prof. T. K. Gajjar died at Santa Cruz, 16th morning. Oothamana ceremony will take place to-day 17th July at 4 p.m. Apollo Bunder.

LONDON NEW YORK CROSS RATE

The London New York cross rate on the 15th instant was 388.

DR. GULAMALLY'S EYE HOSPITAL.

At Dr. Gulamally's Eye Hospital, total attendence of different nationalities in June last was 869 males being 687 and 182 females.

BAND AT BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

The Band of the 1/13th G. I. P. Railway Battalion (Indian Defence Force) will play a programme of music under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell; at 6-15 p.m. to-day.

INDIAN LIBERAL LEAGUE.

Under the auspices of the Club, the Study Circle will meet in Hall of the Servants of India Society, to-morrow at 6-30 a.m. when the "Khilafat Agitation in India" will be discussed.

YOUNG MEN'S NAGAR ASSOCIATION.

A special meeting of the Young Men's Nagar Association of Valam will be held to-morrow at 5 p.m. (S.T.), at the hall of Nana Manek Building, Vithalwadi, to express its sorrow at the death of late Sir Shapurji Bharucha.

ARYAN EXCELSIOR LEAGUE.

Mr. S. R. Bhise, will deliver a lecture specially for Matric students on 'Practical Hints on Essay Writing' to-morrow at 10 a.m., in the Girgaum Gujerati Boys' school near Prarthana Samaj. Seats will be reserved for lady students.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE.

Under the auspices of the Social Service League, Bombay, Mr. B. N. Motiwalla, will deliver a public lecture in English on "The Beggar Problem in Bombay" to-day at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the Prarthana Samaj Hall, Girgaum. The Hon. Sir N. C. MacLeod, Chief Justice of the Bombay High Court, will preside.

BOMBAY STUDENT'S BROTHERHOOD.

The Senior Class will be conducted by Mr. P. L. Thacker, at 9 a.m. (S.T.), tomorrow, at the Head Quarters, Girgaon, when he will expound Carlyle's "Heroes and Hero-Yorship."

The Junior Class will be conducted by Dr. P. N. Daruwala, on the same day at the same time and at the same place, when he will deliver a lecture on "Indian Administration."

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Correspondence.

ASTHMA CURE.

TO THE EDITOR,

Sir.—It will be glad tidings to Asthma patients to hear that they can obtain immunity from their terrible sufferings by trying a simple asthma cure which has come to my knowledge. Babu J. P. Ray is a discoverer of this specific. He is a charitable man and distributes medicine *gratis*. A good many persons afflicted with this fell disease in Benares have been radically cured by using his medicine. There are a good many prescriptions which give relief from Asthma temporarily, but there is perhaps no recognised medicine which cures it. The suffering world should, therefore, hail with delight the appearance of a medicine of this kind. Babu J. P. Ray has got a pamphlet printed which gives a description of his treatment and the names of men who have benefited by its use and where it is available to the public. This is a marvellous remedy, and I would strongly recommend the sufferers from Asthma to make application to the Babu at Durga Kund-Road, Benares City.

S. M. L.

NOTE J. P. Ray is alive. This is the best time for taking the specific.

Present address:—

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HIGH COURT.

THIRD CRIMINAL SESSIONS

BRUTAL MURDER FOR ORNAMENTS.

SENTENCE OF DEATH.

Emperor

vs.

1. Bala Raoji.
2. Muktabai.

(Before Sir Chimanlal Setalvad and a special Jury.)

The hearing of this trial in which both the accused were charged with the offence of committing the murder of one Parvatibai for the sake of her ornaments was continued before his Lordship and a special jury.

The full facts alleged by the Prosecution appeared in our yesterday's issue.

The defence was that the accused did not commit the murder.

The jury returned a unanimous verdict of "guilty" of murder against the first accused and of "abetment of murder against the second accused.

His Lordship sentenced the first accused to death and the second accused to transportation for life.

ALLEGED RAPE.

"NOLLE PROSEQUI" ENTERED.

Emperor

vs.

George Green.

(Before Sir Chimanlal Setalvad and a Common Jury).

The accused in this case was charged with committing rape on a girl.

Mr. V. G. Kelvi appeared for the Crown.

Mr. Baptista, defended the accused. After the jury was empanelled the Hon. the Advocate-General stated to his Lordship that he had gone through the papers of this case and there was not sufficient evidence, in his opinion to go to a jury. He would therefore enter "nolle prosequi" against the accused.

His Lordship agreed and the accused was acquitted and discharged.

COLOUR MARKET.

(From our Correspondent.)

July 16.

The market indicates an easy tone. The arrival of highly concentrated Dyes has removed the constant difficulty of the consumers of getting them when they required the same. Again the absence of demands has lowered the values of several colours. The values of alizarine has gone down to 130 per drum; the German Stuff of 20 per cent. to quoted at 350 to 400 per cwt. and of 16 per cent. is quoted at 300 to 325 per cwt.

The quotations are:—

Congo-Red, Rs. 4 to 4/8/0 per lb.
Magenta Crystals, Rs. 17 per lb.
Magenta Crystals, 8b, Rs. 30 per lb.
Methyl Violet, Rs. 12 per lb.

BUYER.

Methyl Violet (Eng.) Rs. 8 to 9 per lb.
Melchite Green, Rs. 10 per lb.

MILL STORES.

(From our Correspondent.)

July 16.

The slump which the market had witnessed for a considerable period has now almost disappeared, and the values of important commodities have appreciably advanced. Home-Quotations show no signs of weakness, and a further increase in value is still expected. Healds have been cornered to a great extent, and the values quoted are Rs. 2-8-0 and upwards for best red-eyed Healds. Reeds are steady. The Quotations are as follows:—

Healds, Rs 2-8-0;
Reeds, Rs. 0-4-0 to 0-05-0.
Roller cloth (k), Rs. 6 to 7 per yd
Sizing fls. Rs. 4 to 5 per yd.
Roller-skins (cat & Mon), Rs. 80/90 per doz.
Roller-skins (Headmost), Rs. 75/85 per doz.
Pickers No. 4 (Head most), Rs. 75/80 per gross.

ELPHINSTONE ROAD CO-OPERATIVE LAUNDRY.

A general meeting of the above Laundry will be held on to-morrow at 3 p.m. (S. T.) in the Library Hall of the Parel Settlement of the Social Service League. A statement showing the condition of the Laundry from March 1920 to the end of June of the same year will be placed before it for discussion.

CABLE TRANSIT TIMES.

The General Superintendent Eastern Telegraph Company, Limited, Bombay notifies the following transit times on cablegrams:—

1. Unregistered Correspondence 6-30 p.m. Bombay to London: Full rates 23 hours.

London to Bombay: Full rates 33 hours.

"MARATHA HIGH SCHOOL OLD BOYS' UNION."

A meeting of the Union will be held to-morrow at 4 p.m., at the Maratha High School, when a debate on "The Indian Universities' will take place.

ALL-INDIA SARASWAT BRAHMAN SABHA.

The Honorary Secretary of the Sabha informs that Pandit Ram Krishna Jaitly, (Delhi), has become a life member of the Sabha by paying a donation of Rs. 500.

POSTAL NOTICE

Superscribed mails for Singapore, China, and Japan per s.s. Indus Maru will be closed at the General Post Office at 8 a.m. today.

OUTGOING ENGLISH MAILS.

As the Homeward English Mail steamer "Karmala" will not sail till Sunday morning the 18th instant, the following will be the latest hours of posting at the General Post Office.

Unregistered Correspondence 6-30 p.m., on Saturday 17-7-1920, Registered Correspondence 6 p.m., on 17-7-1920, Parcels 4 p.m., on 17-7-1920, Money Orders 2 p.m. on 17-7-1920, postings at the Town Sub Offices must be so regulated as to reach the G. P. O. before the above-mentioned hours.

CITY'S MORTALITY.

The total mortality of the for Thursday was 113; as against 149 on the corresponding day last year and 113 on the corresponding day in 1918. Cholera registered attack and 2 deaths, small-pox 1 attack and 1 death and influenza 2 deaths.

BOMBAY LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

AGENDA OF NEXT MEETING.

The following is in the list of business to be brought forward at a meeting of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Bombay, to be held in the Council Hall, Poona, on Monday, the 2nd August, 1920, at 12 noon.

Presentation of the Budget of the Government of Bombay for the year 1920-21 and discussion thereon—

Bills—

1. A Bill to amend the law relating to the duty payable on tobacco and to the import, transport, retail sale and warehousing thereof in the City of Bombay (Bill No. IV of 1919).—Second Reading.

Notices of 24 amendments have been received. See head V below.)

2. A Bill to provide for the constitution of Village Panchayats (Bill No. XI of 1919).—Second Readings. (For amendments, see head V below.)

Notice has been received of the following motion from the Hon. Sardar Dulabawa Raisingji, Thakor of Kerwada:—

"That the consideration of the Village Panchayat Bill be postponed till the meeting of the Reformed Council."

3. A Bill to provide for the extension of primary education in the City of Bombay (Bill No. IV of 1920).—First Reading.

4. A bill to amend the Bombay Town Planning Act, 1915, (Bill No. V of 1920).—First reading.

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5. A Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to pleaders in the Presidency of Bombay (Bill No. VI of 1920).—First Reading.

6. A Bill further to amend the City of Bombay Improvement Act 1898, and the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888 (Bill No. VII of 1920). First Reading.

A Bill further to amend the Bombay Town Planning Act, 1915 (Bill No. VIII of 1920).—First Reading.

Discussion of matters of general public interest—

Resolutions by the Hon. Mr. R. P. Paranjpye.

1. "This Council recommends that Government be pleased to open a new Medical College at Poona in June 1921."

2. "This Council recommends that the new revenue settlement of the Erandol Taluka as recommended by the settlement officer be not sanctioned."

EXACTING EXCESSIVE RENTS.

LANDLORD CONVICTED.

Haji Jusab Haji Sheriff, landlord, was charged before Mr. Frank Oliveria, at the Mazagaon Police Court, by Rent Inspector Samant, with extorting rents in excess of what was standardized by the Controller of Rents, from 28 of his tenants, residing at his premises known as the Rose Cottage, situate at Mount Road.

The accused was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 750 and was also ordered to refund the excess amount received from each the tenants.

RENT COLLECTOR'S "PAGDI."

The same Magistrate passed a sentence of a fine of Rs. 200, on one Shrikant Pandit a Rent Collector in the employ of Messrs. Rasul and Company.

It appears that the accused exacted Rs. 12 every month from a Japanese tenant residing in the premises of the employers of accused, situated at Bapty Road instead of Rs. 6-2 the actual rent fixed by the Controller.

The accused was further ordered to refund the excess received.

SEA BATH DURING SHRAVAN.

FACILITIES FOR HINDU LADIES.

Mr. Lakhmidas A. Tarsee writes to say:—

A kutcha shade, with the permission of the Collector of Bombay, has been put up on the sands of Chowpati, opposite the Level Crossing, for the use of Hindu ladies to change dress before and after sea bath during the holy Shravan month. All Hindu ladies are earnestly requested to use the same. There is a prejudice in the minds of certain ladies, especially Gujarati and Bhatia ladies against its free use, and to meet the same, such amount as they feel inclined to contribute will be received though there is no need and necessity for the same.

ISRAELITE BROTHERHOOD.

The usual Jewish History Class will meet to-night at 8 o'clock at the premises of the Brotherhood, 2nd Peerkhan Street, Byculla, and will be conducted by Miss R. Reuben, B.A. At to-morrow's weekly meeting Mr. Jacob I. Aptekar, will deliver a lecture at 4 p.m., on "The Child in Jewish Literature" at the same place.

MR. HORNIMAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—The Council of the Presidency Association appears to be a body of very short memory. Not many months ago the Council decided to hold a public meeting under the auspices of the Association to protest against the continued ban on Mr. Horniman's return to India but as the majority of the members had been to the hills at that time, owing to hot season, it was announced that the meeting would be held, if I remember right, in the second week of June. Since that time two meetings were arranged by the Association, though of no less importance but Mr. Horniman's meeting is conveniently lost sight of.

I would therefore suggest that the Council would do well to arrange for the long overdue meeting immediately.—Yours, etc.,

NOTA BENE.

APPALLING SLAUGHTER OF CATTLE IN INDIA.

A GRAVE SITUATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I shall be much obliged by your publishing the following in your valuable paper.

Upto very recent times the Humanitarian League and similar Societies used chiefly to confine all their energy to making appeals to Native Princes to prevent the slaughter of a few animals (he-buffaloes and goats) in their States on the Dasera Holiday once a year in the name of religion. But they were quite ignorant or perhaps did not not care about a serious and greater evil—the merciless slaughter of a very very larger number of animals every day of the year under their very noses at Bandra and under their own Ruler, without any religious ceremony or excuse but simply for the sake of human consumption. The undersigned had drawn some years back the attention of these societies through the vernacular press to this matter, but no attention was paid to it. But now we note with great satisfaction that the present President of the Humanitarian League and other public citizens have taken a right step in the matter and drawn the attention of the Municipality and the Government to this unnecessary slaughter.

In this connection it will be instructive to note the progress of this merciless slaughter in the Bandra slaughter house for the last ten years. These figures are collected from the Annual Administration Reports of the Bombay Municipality.

To these may be added the figures for 1919/1920 as given in the letter of the President of the Humanitarian League:—

Buffaloes	10240
Cows	54736
Calves and heifers	3069
Bullocks	18887

In the table given above since the year 1916 the number of cows, calves and bullocks is not given separately but their total number is given, so it is difficult to ascertain the separate figures.

LIST OF ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED AT THE BANDRA SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

(FROM THE MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION REPORTS.)

Animals.	1909-10.	1910-11	1911-12	1912-13	1913-14
Buffaloes	4,341	5,130	7,908	7,930	6,798
Buffaloes Private Slaughter	2				
Cows	37,863	32,184	30,702	42,532	49,447
Bullocks	6,017	8,223	10,438	11,142	9,499
Calves	442	137	110	481	1,488
Sheep and Goats (for Bombay)	6,07,516	6,14,536	6,46,947	6,42,704	6,14,506
" " (for Mahim)	25,541	26,329	24,473	23,738	23,433
" " (for Bandra)	21,946	19,680	22,268	22,077	20,009
Pigs at Arthur Road Slaughter House	440	465	481	591	915
Piglings " "					23
Pigs Private Slaughter	123	118	180	145	21
Piglings " "		62	110	157	130
Live horned cattle brought to Bombay	163	48	367	4,065	1,106
" sheep and goats " "	5,032	4,951	5,848	5,030	4,811
Permits for Private slaughter of sheep	275	197	134	39	27
Live sheep and goats removed by Deisle Road sheep market Fadkarees	25,631	22,988	24,791	27,011	23,511
Total	7,35,332	7,35,048	7,74,766	7,84,651	7,55,719

Animals.	Apl.,Mar 1914-15	1915-16	1916-17	1917-18	1918-19	1919-20
Buffaloes	8,57	8,371	7,564	9,542	11,001	
Buffaloes Private slaughter		5		1	2	
Cows	44,177	38,443				
Bullocks	10,233	12,929	64,846	61,476	84,749	
Calves	2,644	2,854				
Sheep and goats (for Bombay)	5,74,721	6,00,903	7,00,185	6,95,989	7,73,171	
" " (for Mahim)	21,453	23,897				
" " (for Bandra)	19,963	20,475	51,470	54,621	63,184	
Pigs at Arthur Road slaughter House	979	1,138	1,165	4,291	4,977	
Piglings " "	15	17	3	58	71	
Pigs Private slaughter	23	24	21	52	34	
Piglings " "	109	107	145	153	114	
Live horned cattle brought to Bombay	1,370	1,558	1,445	1,932	2,476	
" sheeps and goats " "	11,601	11,646	16,132	22,788	24,509	
Permits for Private slaughter of sheep	50	30	22	34	38	
Live sheep and goats removed by Deslile Road sheep market Fadkarees	28,801	22,751	21,618	22,734	25,608	
Total	7,16,713	7,45,149	8,64,827	8,77,669	9,90,024	

In these ten years the number of buffaloes, cows and bullocks slaughtered have been nearly doubled. If it is not checked in time perhaps milk will be unobtainable in future except at a very high price.

In the year 1919/20, 54,736 cows were slaughtered at Bandra, that is 152 daily or 6 every hour or 1 every ten minutes. If we take into consideration the total number of animals slaughtered in the previous year 9,90,024, we have a daily slaughter of 2,750 animals or 118 every hour or 2 every minute.

And Bandra is not the only slaughter house in India. What must be the total number of all the animals slaughtered all over India for human consumption!

In addition to these how many animals were slaughtered for military purposes in India and how many were exported alive to be slaughtered on steamers or outside India?

The total number from all these sources will be really appalling. When such wholesale slaughter is allowed, is there any wonder that milk and its products should go up so high in price? Will any humane member of the Council ask the Government to give the various figures suggested above for the last ten years to arrive at a correct estimate of the animal loss to India?

The Secretary of the Humanitarian League should try to find out all such available figures from Government or Municipal reports and statistics and publish them.

Our Government boasts that it takes more interest in the affairs of the poor and ignorant masses than the educated people. May we ask what steps it has taken to prevent the destruction of these useful cattle—the present and future agricultural wealth of India? It must be remembered that if a Cow is slaughtered, it is not the question of one animal only, she is the potential mother and grand parent of a numerous progeny and this loss must also be taken into account.

A very high agricultural authority of the Government has calculated that the number of cows can be doubled in about 3 years. "If 100 cows are in good condition all ought to calve in less than 18 months and a second calf within 2½ years to 3 years. Supposing that half the progeny are males, this would mean that 100 female calves would be produced within 3 years." And these would reproduce *ad infinitum*.

Will any mathematically inclined reader of yours calculate such a potential loss? If all these buffaloes and cows given in these tables had not been slaughtered what would have been their number and the number of their progeny? How much cheaper would have been milk and its products?

Every Hindu knows that Nandrayji, a well-to-do cowherd, on hearing about the birth of a son made a gift of two lakhs of cows to the Brahmins. These cows are always accompanied by female calves and included in the gift. (How many of our present day Princes or rich men have or maintain even a thousand cows?) The very cowboys in hearing of the same good news threw at each other milk, curds, ghee and butter in rejoicing. This festival on a very miniature scale is still observed up to the present day in Vaishnav temples and houses on Gokul Ashtami. Milk and milk products were then so very cheap and abundant. But what is our present state? Our children die in great numbers for want of pure and cheap milk.

Our benevolent Government a few years back was so very anxious about the physical and moral welfare of a far distant nation, namely, the Chinese, that at some sacrifice of revenue to this country it restricted the sale of opium to China. Will this very humane Government now step in for the protection of this agricultural wealth? Will it do something to prevent the annihilation of these very useful and harmless innocent milch cattle?

We must all appeal to Government to stop this slaughter or at least to control it properly.

In spite of the vast progress of science in this 20th century no scientist has yet succeeded in creating an entirely new life without the help of a pre-existing life. When this is so, is it not short-sighted, foolish, nay criminal, to destroy a very useful existing animal life which is most serviceable to men and children, in fact a life which is very necessary for their very existence and which also reproduces similar useful lives without limit?

The human population is increasing everywhere and so must the animal population, but it is a regrettable fact that the number of these useful cattle shows a serious decline, as is seen from the latest Cattle Census.

The Humanitarian League, Cow Protection Societies, the Mahajans, Agricultural Societies, The Children's Welfare League, the different branches of the Home Rule League, the religious heads of various sects, the trustees of the Pinjrapoles, in fact all enlightened and influential humane Princes and persons must do their best to induce people to refuse to sell their cattle for slaughter. They should also maintain as many cows as they can afford and induce others to do so. In congested towns like Bombay where it is inconvenient to keep a cow for want of accommodation or in cases of people to whom the expenses are prohibitive, one or more goats may be maintained in every house. A domestic goat's pure milk is healthier than the average bazar cow's or buffaloe's milk which is almost always very poor or adulterated.

In recent times a number of industrial and other limited concerns have been started, but not a successful animal breeding and dairy company on a large scale in this Presidency.

Our capitalists, industrialists, agriculturists and humanitarians should all combine and think out and take some practical and constructive steps in this matter. They should print and distribute on a large scale vegetarian literature, start vegetarian restaurants, start cattle breeding farms in different places and do every possible thing to prevent the slaughter of these agricultural cattle and improve their breed and increase their number.—Yours, etc.

Y. Y. Z.

Bombay,

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General-in-Council is pleased to cancel the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department No. 1468-F., dated the 29th June 1917.

BOMBAY STREET LIGHTING.

GAS OR ELECTRICITY?

A meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation was held under the presidency of Mr. V. A. Dabholkar yesterday, when there were thirteen members present at the start. The President said they would commence business because as he had already ruled on a previous occasion no quorum was required for an adjourned meeting.

Dr. D. B. P. Master moved:—"That the Municipal Commissioner be requested to arrange to provide high pressure gas lamps at places where three or more roads converge and where the vehicular traffic is very heavy".

Dr. Master said it was highly necessary that they should have better lighting at important junctions of roads.

Mr. B. N. Motiwala, seconding the proposition, said better lighting was essential at such places.

ELECTRICITY EXTRAORDINARILY EXPENSIVE.

Mr. H. S. Clayton, Municipal Commissioner, said he was fully in sympathy with the motion. He, however, suggested that the proposition might be so modified as to make it "gas or electric lamps" instead of "gas lamps", for it might be advisable to supply electric light at some places in the city. It was a success at Bori Bunder and Dhobi Talao and he thought that in spite of its great cost it should be adopted at certain places. As to gas light he had got every single fitting that the gas company could supply and it was going into the streets. Some time ago some members suggested the lighting by electricity of Sandhurst Road. This undoubtedly was a desirable thing and he had gone into facts and figures and consulted the officials of both the Bombay E. S. & T. Company and the Gas Company. He had estimates for Sandhurst, Queen's and another road prepared by both the companies and the result was extraordinarily astonishing. It was disappointing. Offers for Sandhurst Road of the electric light company was as to the original ten times the price of the company and the cost of maintenance double. If, for instance, instead of Rs. 10,000 they had to pay Re. one lakh it was a matter which the Corporation had got to consider very seriously before they entered into a contract. Lighting streets by electricity was extraordinarily expensive here.

Dr. Master modified his proposition as suggested by the Commissioner, and added the word "as far as possible" after the words "to arrange".

Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia said it was very desirable to have electric lighting of the city even if it cost more than gas light.

The proposition as modified was carried.

MUNICIPAL TEACHERS' PAY.

Mr. B. N. Motiwala moved the following proposition:—

"That this Corporation is of opinion that having regard to the abnormally high prices prevailing in the City for all the bare necessities of life it is absolutely essential that either the salaries or the allowance at present given to both the trained and untrained teachers of the Bombay Municipal Schools be increased to such an extent as to make the same sufficient to enable them to maintain themselves and their families just in a decent way and hence it requests the Schools Committee to submit to the Corporation at a very early date a report mentioning the increase in the salary or allowance which they would recommend and the increase in the expenditure which would be occasioned by adopting the new humane policy."

Mr. P. Anstey seconded the proposition.

The Hon. Mr. Phiroze C. Sethna moved an amendment that in view of the continued increase in the prices of all necessaries of life, the Schools Committee be asked to consider if they were prepared to recommend to the Corporation any further increases over and above what were granted in April 1919.

Dr. S. S. Batliwala seconded the amendment.

Mr. Motiwala withdrew his proposition in favour of the Hon. Mr. Sethna's amendment, which was carried.

HOUSING OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES.

The following proposition, moved by Dr. A. G. Viegas, was passed:—

"That the attention of the Municipal Commissioner be invited to Corporation Resolution No. 4775, dated the 15th September 1919, approving of the suggestions made by him in his letter 1384, dated the 23rd July 1919, in regard to the housing of peons, bhaisars, labourers, etc., in the Municipal service, and he be requested to expedite the submission of proposals for giving effect to the suggestions as asked for in the aforesaid Resolution.

2. That the Municipal Commissioner be requested to report whether there are any insanitary Municipal dwellings occupied by the Municipal employees and to give an estimate of the cost of putting them in a sanitary condition and that he be also requested to report as to whether any of them or parts of them are so insanitary as to be unfit for habitation and, if so, to submit an estimate of the cost of erecting semi-permanent chawls for their use during their conversion into sanitary buildings."

Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia moved the following proposition:—

"That the attention of the Commissioner be invited to Corporation Resolution No. 6423, dated the 12th February 1912, regarding the lighting of the junctions of certain roads with inverted type overhead lamps as an experimental measure and he be requested to report what progress has been made with the work and when it is likely to be completed and whether in view of the experience gained as to the advantages of better lighting at junctions it is desirable to extend the method of lighting the road junctions in the City, where two or more roads meet or cross each other, taking into consideration the higher cost of the method."

Mr. J. A. Wadia seconded the proposition, which was carried.

The Corporation adjourned to Monday.

ZOROASTRIAN BROTHERHOOD.

Under the auspices of the Zoroastrian Brotherhood at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.), to-morrow at the Hall of the Tutorial High School, Grant Road, Mr. K. D. Oomrigar, will deliver a public lecture on "The Hunter Committee Report."

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.
Saturday, July 17, 1920.

FINANCIAL FUTURE OF BOMBAY.

The recent meeting of protest against the recommendations of the Financial Relations Committee affecting most adversely the prospects of success of the new Legislative Council and of the economic and social development of this Presidency, gave unmistakable evidence of the unanimity of feeling with which the treatment proposed to be meted out to Bombay is being resented by the public at large. There is complete accord among the people of all classes, creeds and views that, in recommending that the whole of the income-tax proceeds should be credited to the Exchequer of the Government of India instead of being left to the Provincial Government or being shared with them as at present, to the manifest injury of the interests of this Presidency, the Meston Committee has perpetrated a serious injustice and has most light-heartedly left Bombay to make the best of a bad bargain. The speakers at the meeting pulled to shreds the flimsy case the Committee has sought to put up in favour of its scheme and the Joint Parliamentary Committee and the Secretary of State ought to have no difficulty in falling in with the views expressed in the well-reasoned and convincing representation which has been submitted to them on behalf of the public of Bombay. The public protests proceeding from this Presidency, have been wisely restricted to a refutation of the arguments urged by the Committee in support of the course of action favoured by it and to a clear exposition of the situation that will be created if Bombay is deprived of its income-tax revenue and is asked to rely upon a problematical natural increase on the other heads of incomt.

It is not necessary to bolster up Bombay's case by introducing extraneous considerations into the discussion or by making suggestions as to how the Committee's object may otherwise be attained. The injury and the injustice as well as the unreasonableness and short-sightedness of the particular recommendation are so obvious that the public is amazed at the nonchalance with which it has been made and the cavalier fashion in which the objections to it are disposed of. Bombay did not demand any gifts to be made to it from the Imperial Exchequer or from the money raised by other Provinces from their own people. Bombay never showed any unwillingness to bear its share in the deficit of the Government of India who must have enough finance to discharge their appropriate functions. Bombay did not claim that its financial position should be made stronger by outside assistance than it is at present. What Bombay asked for was that its earning capacity should not be paralyzed and that it should not be compelled to face the tremendous responsibilities entailed by the reforms with crippled resources and weakened nerves. The Meston Committee, however, was so obsessed with its pre-conceived notion of the reserve financial and economic capacity of the people of this Presidency that it fancied that the Provincial Government would easily secure what resources it required for development, though it was heavily handicapped with the transfer of the income-tax proceeds to the Government of India. Neither the science of finance nor commonsense would, for a moment, admit the validity or the wisdom of the recommendation of the Financial Relations Committee. Amazing are the considerations which appear to have weighed with the Committee in arriving at its precious conclusion. As it could not say that Bombay has been extravagant in the expenditure of its administration, we may ask whether the Presidency is to be penalised for its progressive character and the enterprise, industry and wealth of its people? Did the Committee want to level Bombay down to the position of other Provinces whose people earned less and spent less? To ask Bombay to be content with the inelastic sources of revenue, which have been left to it, is to force it to mark time, to stagnate, to degenerate. The Committee has, in essence, condemned Bombay to suffer for its advanced administration and for its legitimate ambition and efforts to promote economic and social development. Bombay's large contribution to the national purse cannot be and has not been denied, and the sacrifice that is now asked of it, is neither just nor reasonable. The blunder of the Financial Relations Committee lay in thinking that because Excise and Land Revenue and Forests had shown a capacity of expansion during the past few years, therefore, they must go on producing more indefinitely. Had it studied the history of our land revenue and excise, the two largest heads of provincial revenue, more closely than it appears to have done, the Committee would have realized that it was building its conclusions about the productive nature of these sources of income, on foundations of sand.

We are constrained to observe that the Committee's examination of the financial position and possibilities of this Presidency were most superficial and that in its anxiety to evolve a formula according to which to fix the contributions of the Provinces it has hopelessly missed the fundamental principle underlying the problem it was appointed to solve. The Committee likewise blundered in thinking that the income-tax was not a suitable provincial tax and that it being an All-India impost, must be transferred to the Central Government. It was wrong in thinking that Bombay could not claim the proceeds of the income-tax because though it was collected in this Presidency, it was not wholly paid by its people. The income-tax assessed on the earnings of the people of Bombay, it is superfluous to state, comes out of the wealth created by its enterprising and industrious people and the Government of the Presidency have every right to demand that it should be credited to their exchequer. And it passes one's understanding how the Committee felt itself justified in denying Bombay even a half share in what its people directly contribute to tht exchequer of Government. If Bombay is admittedly an industrial and commercial province, it is only reasonable that the Government of this Presidency should be allowed to retain that source of their income which is the only head of revenue that is capable of expansion. It is a cruel mockery that Bombay should be complimented by the Meston Committee on its wealth and industry and that simultaneously its Government should be cooly robbed of their only instrument of tapping that wealth for maintaining and promoting the progress of the Presidency. The recommendation of the Committee is so glaringly absurd and so obviously unjust and untenable that we hope the Joint Parliamentary Committee will have summarily rejected it. The protests that have gone up from every side against it ought to show the depth of resentment which has been roused in the public mind against the proposed iniquity; and if they are not given the consideration they deserve, the chances of the success of the much-belauded and much-advertised reforms are very small indeed.

PEACE WITH RUSSIA.

It has taken the Allied statesmen nearly three years to recognise that Peace with Russia is more important than war. Military intervention has been tried, but militarism has failed to break the back of the Bolshevik. Intrigue and cleverly engendered dissension have been tried but with every fresh onslaught Russia has acquired new strength. As a last mad adventure Poles were incited to launch a gratuitous offensive against the Soviet, and the Poles have been beaten with a celerity which no military critic would have deemed possible. The inevitable conclusion is that there must be something in the stamina of the present Russian Government to give it solidarity as well as power. Russia has triumphed through the long years of her agony and the Allies now realise that it is in the long run the safest policy to pursue Peace. It is announced that the sad plight of the Poles forced them to seek the intervention of Allied statesmen assembled at Spa, since Brusilloff from the North and Budenny from the South had shattered the offensive launched by Pilsudski with so much *eclat*, and the Poles had lost many prisoners, immense booty and large tracts of territory. The Allies, who had refused sedulously to intervene when Poland was victorious, suddenly saw the urgency of intervention with Poland as a defeated ally. They proposed a Peace Conference under the aegis of the Supreme Council after the Supreme Council had refused to recognise the existence of the Soviet Government. The Russian advance made the politicians of Europe sit up in their chairs—with the result—a result which will be welcomed by everyone who has the cause of humanity at heart—that peace with the Bolsheviks becomes a reality. Mr. Bonar Law has announced in the House of Commons that the Allies have proposed a line running from Rovno to Brest-Litovsk to a point fifty kilometres South of Przemysl—the three towns made famous during the war—as the limit of the Russian advance. An advance beyond this triangle of territory will mean war with the Allies. But no one is foolish enough to imagine that in the present temper of the masses of Europe the Allies will launch upon a new war. It may be taken as certain, however, that Russian acceptance of an armistice proposal is a foregoing conclusion, not only because Russia all along has revealed pacific intentions but because this opportunity of holding a Peace Conference of all the Border States in London will most probably result in a durable peace and in the final recognition of the Soviet Government. For the first time since the Armistice the upholders of world-peace have won a victory over the massed forces of the war-mongers. In the meantime M. Krassin, the Russian Commissary appointed with M. Nogin to negotiate trade relations with Britain, is on his way to England having obtained the consent of the Soviet Government to the conditions laid down by the British Cabinet as a preliminary to further pourparlers. There is one condition of supreme importance to be noted among those enumerated by Mr. Bonar Law in his reply to Mr. Asquith's question in the House of Commons. Not only is hostile intervention to cease on the part of Britain but Russia undertakes on her part to cease military action or propoganda in Asia. The condition of Mid-Asia as revealed in the cabled reports of the last few days is such that unless some such agreement is arrived at there can be no chance of a durable or even a transient peace. Kutchuk Khan, who is described as a strong idealist, is helping all the elements of unrest throughout Persia and Mesopotamia to assert their protests against the British occupation—and the power of a Nationalist Alliance with Bolshevism is more to be dreaded by a new mandatory than almost any other power. No aid can come from Armenia, which has made peace with the Soviets; or from General Wrangel in the Crimea who is now saved by Allied intervention from the fate of Denikin, or from any other factor in the Near East or in Mid-Asia to stem the tide of guerilla warfare, of armed unrest, and of Bolshevism. Peace with Russia therefore has become imperative, not for any humanitarian reasons which recognise the terrible needs of the hungry and typhus-stricken populations, but for reasons purely of high politics and self-preservation. It is the Allies now who need peace. The Allies stand to gain their political equilibrium by getting it; Russia stands to gain the rehabilitation of her economic life; and a shattered world stands to gain the solace of a well-nigh shattered dream even if this dream should break as it is breaking already in Turkey to the noise of bursting cannon.

MR. B. N. SARMA

The appointment of the Hon. Mr. B. N. Sarma to the Viceroy's Executive Council will cause little surprise and less enthusiasm. It has been for a long time an open secret that he was in the running. And the expected and not the desired selection has been made. Mr. Sarma's capacities are of a mediocre and plodding nature. As the present members of the Executive Council are not remarkable for outstanding ability, this fact, however, will not be noticed. The test of Mr. Sarma's appointment, however is: Will he be able adequately to represent Indian interests in the Executive Council? We confess we are not able to say with any certainty that he will do so though, for aught we know, he may—and, we hope, he will Mr. Sarma has not, in his public life, distinguished himself by a display of the essential qualifications for the task—sturdy independence of character combined with decisiveness of purpose. This was strikingly demonstrated by the strange manner in which he resigned his membership of the Imperial Legislative Council as a protest against the passing of the Rowlatt Act, and almost immediately withdrew his resignation. At the Amritsar Congress Mr. Sarma, it will be recalled, opposed the resolution demanding the recall of Lord Chelmsford—and opposed it on this ground, of all others, that the Hunter Committee had not reported. Mr. Sarma's attitude gave evidence of a lack of due sense of proportion as well as of the failure to recognise the obvious that a Committee selected and appointed by the Government of India could not be expected to pronounce on the responsibility of the latter. In the present juncture of affairs Mr. Sarma is thus hardly the Indian Member that the country needs. It is evident that Lord Chelmsford and his Government have secured a colleague in whom they and not the people have full confidence. For the rest, it has to be acknowledged that Mr. B. N. Sarma's public activities are a proof that he has never consciously subordinated the interests of the country to any other considerations—though this is at best a negative qualification—and that his selection is not so initially objectionable as was that of his Indian colleague.

BLANK CHEQUE TO LORD CHELMSFORD

There is one aspect of Mr. Montagu's reply to Mr. Rupert Gwynne which will cause widespread and intense alarm throughout the country. He said "he was prepared to support any steps which the Government of India thought necessary in the present difficult conditions," because the British Government had "complete confidence" in them. And who are the Government of India? Are not they presided over by Lord Chelmsford in whom the people of the country have lost confidence? Has Mr. Montagu learnt nothing from the Punjab? What did his brave words in Parliament about governing India with "the growing goodwill of the people" amount to? And does Mr. Montagu, after his declaration in Parliament that "any obsolete ordinance or law infringing in India the principles of British liberty must be revised," consider the destiny of India safe in the hands of the Government of Lord Chelmsford who used "any and every" weapon from the armoury of repression last year—before the obsolete ordinances and laws he mentioned are revised? Evidently the forces of reaction have been too strong for Mr. Montagu who, in his tenacity to retain his post, has succumbed to them.

Notes of the Day.

The Spa Negotiations.

Contradictory reports have reached us about the ultimate result of the negotiations which have been going on at Spa between the Allies and the Germans. It appears from one cable that negotiations have been broken off and that Allied Generals are in consultation, apparently concerning the Allied threat to occupy the Rhur valley in case of non-compliance with the terms dictated to the Germans. Another cable says that Von Simons and Fehrenbach have given satisfactory guarantees. The trouble has arisen over coal. The deliveries of coal-supplies demanded from Germany were reduced fraom 3½ millions to a little over two and a half millions in view of the shortage of German out-put; bad-feeding of the workers; industrial troubles; and Germany's own need. Von Simons made an irritating speech but frankly owned that the conditions imposed upon Germany could not be carried out. Now it appears that confidential negotiations have been going on and an accomodation has been arrived at with the proviso that definite confirmation must rest with the National Assembly. This is but the beginning of disillusionment. Germany's coal-supply has been halved and three-fourths of this is collared by the Allies. Her industries are at a practical standstill and her economic distress critically acute. The Spa negotiations are not likely to make Germany's position any stabler.

"The Pioneer" on the Punjab Debate

Nothing can be more ridiculous than the truculence and the insolence of the Anglo-Indian Press, with one or two honourable exceptions. Generally speaking its attitude ranges from that of "The C. and M. Gazzette" which treats all politics and politicians with a curved-lip levity to that of "The Pioneer" which in its foolish way pontificates with most flimsy arguments and most contradictory logic. If an Essay in Sophistry were needed nothing could match the "Pioneer's" outburst on the Punjab debate which in its fox-hunting style it calls "Montaguism at Bay". If by this it means that Mr. Montagu is at bay then we agree with our contemporary. If it means that Mr. Montagu's creed of thundering with magnificient principles and leaving the mere detail of doing justice severely alone is at bay then we agree again. But we are afraid, not being very clear about things, "the Pioneer" means something which it is difficult to understand but which may mean that the defenders of the slight action taken against Dyer, being generalised as the defenders of "Montaguism" are at bay. We suggest to our contemporary that it is the defenders of Dyer who are really at bay, howling with the recklessness of trapped coyotes. How reckless they are in argument can be seen from the way in which they compare the butchery of Jallianwalla Bagh with the murders at Amritsar. "The British lives that were lost in last year's disturbances were those of innocent and law-abiding people." "There may have been harmless people in the crowd in the Jallianwalla Bagh." These are the two voices of Anglo-India which speak differently as the occasion prompts. Of course, "*there may have been*" innocent people in Jallianwalla Bagh as if "The Pioneer" is not aware that there were..

"Amnesty" for Dyer.

Our contemporary goes on to say that amnesty has been extended to the Amirtsar leaders but Dyer is held up to obloquy for committing an error of judgment in suppressing a rebellion, and naturally asks for an amnesty for Dyer. But "the Pioneer" must be aware that those of the Amritsar leaders who have been released had committed no murders; had violated no canons of civilisation; had not been declared guilty of the brutal inhumanity of leaving the wounded without succor, in short, had not behaved like murderous savages. Their "crimes" were invented for them by means of a ridiculous travesty of justice. But there are those who, under similarly framed charges, are still in prison as convicts of the lowest degree and there were those who were hastily and mercilessly hanged for their supposed implications in the murders that took place at Amritsar. Theirs was a supposed implication, but Dyre's is a proven crime and if our contemporary would draw a comparison let it draw the correct comparison as between Dyer and a convicted murderer.

The Militarist from Africa.

Nothing has taught Colonel Frank Johnson—"the physician from Bechuanaland"—afflicted with the disease of militarism—that he must learn to cure himself. He appeared at a meeting of the Rangoon European Association and, in a speech which gives us the impression that he fancies himself as possessing almost supreme powers of divination concerning the ills afflicting India, he declared that he had laid down his uniform. What does this mean? Have the Government taken action against him after all and divested him of his uniform? Be that as it may, this civilised ruler from Africa defended himself on the plea that he with Dyer had saved India and that India could not stand on her own legs until she had developed politically and educationally. His idea of this development during his regime at Lahore was to terrorise the innocent students, flog the guiltless townsmen and imprison the undefending leaders. There was no such situation in the Punjab (as the whole world knows) which needed "saving"; but there was a good deal to lose—honour, decency and a reputation for civilised behaviour. This African Colonel saved nothing, but he lost practically everything not only for himself but for the administration of which he was a part and for a country of which he was an inhabitant. Although much can be written of the sins of individuals it is necessary not to forget that the system creates the individual; and if we wish to eliminate this monstrosity of an individual, we must end the system which gave him his power and strength for untold mischief.

Late Prof. Gajjar.

We regret to announce the death of Prof. Gajjar who was one of the very few research workers in the field of science the country possesses at the present day. Prof. Gajjar came into prominence in connection with his remarkable success in removing some stains from the statue of Queen Victoria which adorns the Esplanade Road in this city—stains, which had defied the efforts of all others to remove them. By dint of sheer merit he succeeded in converting his laboratory into the best-equipped techno-chemical laboratory in India, to be rivalled later on only by the laboratory of Prof. Ray, the great Bengali scientist. Prof. Gajjar did not, it is true, take any prominent part in the public life of the city or the country, but in the Kala Bhawan, the Alembic Chemical Works, and the Techno-Chemical Laboratory he has left eduring monuments of his patriotic labours. Prof. Gajjar during his life-time was able to train up a number of young men in his own line, who will, no doubt, carry on the work chalked out by him. But that such a gifted son of India should have been snatched away by death at the comparatively early age of 57 is to be deeply deplored.

OFFICIAL AND PERSONAL.

His Highness the Nawab Saheb of Junagadh arrived in Bombay yesterday by the Gujarat Mail.

Messrs. B. N. Mitra, H. N. Hutchinson, J. A. Richey, S. P. O'Donnell and Colonel Waghorn are appointed additional members of the Imperial Legislative Council.—(A. P.).

A Calcutta message dated Simla, June 15, states:—Sir William Vincent will shortly leave for Calcutta on ten days' monsoon tour. —(A. P.).

His Excellency the Chancellor of the University of Bombay is pleased to renominate Mr. H. G. D. Turnbull, M. A. (Oxon), to be an Ordinary Fellow of the University with effect from the date of expiry of his present term of office.

His Excellency the Chancellor is further pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Ordinary Fellows of the University:—

Mr. J. B. Knight, M.Sc., vice Lieut.-Colonel E. F. Gordon Tucker, I.M.S., resigned.

Mr. Siavax Pestonji Dastur, B. A. (Cantab. and Bombay) vice Mr. A. C. L. Wilkinson, resigned.

BLANK CHEQUE TO LORD CHELMSFORD!

WARNING TO MR. GANDHI!

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATCHING SITUATION CLOSELY.

MR. MONTAGU WILL SUPPORT ALL THEIR MEASURES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Recd. 5 p.m. July 16.

Replying to Mr. Rupert Gwynne, Sir H. Craik and others in the House of Commons with regard to Mr. Gandhi and the Khilafat Committee, Mr. Montagu emphasised Mr. Gandhi's great services to India, and his high character; but declared that if Mr. Gandhi, after what had happened last year, persisted in the form of agitation he was now conducting, it woul be absolutely impossible to take the same view of his action as last year. The Government of India and local Governments were watching the situation closely and were taking precautions. He was satisfied that they would take all steps necessary to maintain order. He suggested that it would be extremely dangerous for the House of Commons to try to suggest, dictate or interfere with their measures. Mr. Gandhi's efforts were thoroughly mischievous but he preferred to leave their proper treatment to those charged with the maintenance of law and order in India in whom the Government had complete confidence. He was prepared to support any steps which the Government of India thought necessary in the present difficult conditions.

COM. MONRO'S DECISION ABOUT DYER.

NOT IN ANY WAY INFLUENCED BY MR. MONTAGU.

Replying to Mr. Charles Palmer Mr. Montagu stated that the decision of Commander Monro to remove General Dyer from his command was made after he had seen the Hunter Report. He was not aware that this was a revised decision, and he emphatically denied that he had in any way influenced the decision.

AMRITSAR DEBATE AND AFTER.

HOW TO DEAL WITH RIOTOUS MOB?

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 0-15 a.m., July 17.

In the course of a letter to "The Times," Sir James Wilson points out that one of the most dangerous effects of Amritsar debate in the House of Commons is uncertainty which must be engendered the minds of all civil and military officers regarding the powers of dealing with riotous mobs. Quoting, as an instance, Mr. Asquith's speech, he asks:—Are civil magistrates to understand when they summon the military that they ought to "control direct, or at least supervise subsequent military operations?" He urges the Government of India to issue, without delay. the clearest instructions to all magistrates, police and military officers, who are liable, at any moment, to deal with riotous mobs, with regard to what they may and may not do. It should be clearly stated that the minimum force necessary must be used, while without distinction of race, lives and honour of women and children, law-abiding population, and State servants of all grades are more deserving of protection than wilful law-breakers and agitators. He concludes that these instructions should be submitted to a Joint Select Committee of Indian affairs of both the Houses.

INDIA IN COMMONS.

ENQUIRY INTO MRS. NAIDU'S ALLEGATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14
Recd. 5 p.m., July 16.

Replying to Mr. Archer Shee in the House of Commons Mr. Montagu said that if voluntary methods did not secure an adequate defence force in India he would not hesitate to recommend the Government to take compulsory measures.

Replying to Mr. Sitch and Col. Wedgwood with regard to the labour troubles in Madras, Mr. Montagu said that he had not hears that the Government was supplying employers with military workmen but was enquiring into the matter.

Replying to Sir W. Joynson Hicks with regard to the charge made by Mrs. Naidu in the Kingsway Hall on June 3rd, that the Indian troops had stripped and flogged and outraged women, Mr. Montagu said that he has ascertained that the charge was based on the allegations of witnesses before the Congress Committee. The report of the Committe did not make the charge. He was enquiring into the allegation which might justify the charge against certain Indian subordinate police and if this were proved the crime would be suitably punished. With this reservation the charge was entirely untrue.

KINGS PRIZE AT BISLEY.

IST STAGE WINNERS FROM INDIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14
Recd. 5 p.m., July 16.

In the contest for the King's Prize at Bisley the following competitors from India were qualified for the second stage:—

Lieut.-Colonel Swell, with score of 95, Lieutenant C. Curtis, 90, Sergeant E. P. Hancock, 88, and Private H. T. Gill, 87.

BISLEY SHOOTING COMPETITION.

RESULT OF THE KOLHAPORE CUP.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 16.

Bisley.—The following is the result of the Kolapore Cup:—

South Africa	1,111 points.
Mother Country	1.093 points.
Canada	1.086 points.
India	1,009 points.
Guernsey	998 points.

South Africa takes the Colonial Prize.

SHOOTING AT BISLEY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. midnight, July 16.

Bisley:—The following are prize-winners from India:—

Queen Alexandra Cup:—Ten shots at 200 and 600 yards:—Captain H. P. Latty 88, Sergeant G. P. Proctor.

Prince of Males Prize:—Ten shots at 500 and 600 yards:—Lieut. C. Curtis "qualifier" Ten Shots at 300 and 600 yards:—Captain Latty 92.

Duke of Westminster aggregate Prize:—300 and 600 yards:—Sergeant F. P. Hancock 172.

AMERICA CUP RACE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. midnight, July 16.

Sandy Hook.—In the America Cup race, "Resolute" turned outer mark, five minutes ahead of "Shamrock" when she met an accident to regging and withdrew "Shamrock" continued, and completed her course within the time limit, and was awarded the race. The final result depends on the winner of the best of five races.

CABLE ITEMS.

At Buttevant, North Cork, a number of horses belonging to the Twelfth Lancers have died shortly after being watered and fed. An analyst has been summoned to test the water.

FAILURE OF NEGOTIATIONS AT SPA.

BREAK-UP IMMINENT.

ALLIES TO OCCUPY RUHR VALLEY

GENERALS IN CONFERENCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14.
Recd. 1-15 p.m., July 16.

Spa.—The Allied Delegations met this morning. Marshal Foch and General Maglinse conferred regarding the military situation. In the meantime there has been no communication with the Germans. It appears that a break-up is imminent and that the Allies will occupy the Ruhr Valley. Italian and British generals are expected to arrive to-night.

Von Simons at his own request paid visit which lasted forty minutes to Mr. Lloyd George, who only agreed to visit after he had consulted M. Millerand. It is understoo that Mr. Lloyd George earnestly pointed on the gravity of the situation and made abundantly clear that the Allies were by no means bluffing.

Later, Paderewski had conference with Mr. Lloyd George.

ALLIED COAL STIPULATIONS.

GERMANS ACCEPT CONDITIONALLY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 16.

Paris.—A semi-official telegram from Spa says that the Germans have accepted the Allied coal stipulations, but the acceptance is accompanied by conditions which require consideration.

POLES LOSE MINSK.

A BOLSHEVIST REGT. ANNIHILATED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 16.

Warsaw.—A communiqué admits the loss of Minsk and adds that fighting continues south and south-east of Minsk. The Sixty sixth Bolshevik Regiment operating in the Polish rear, has been completely annihilated.

In the Rovno sector the enemy has been inactive as the result of his defeat on the 10th instant.

FIJIAN ATROCITIES.

WHAT SHALL WE DO FOR FIJI.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Nine hundred and twenty-five Indians returned from Fiji on the 3rd of July. A representative of the "Bharatmitra" of Calcutta interviewed some of these Indians from Fiji. Here are some of the questions put to them and the answers given by them:—

Question:—"What is the number of Indians killed during the recent disturbances?"

Answer:—"The exact number is not known, but probably it is between 9 and 20. The number of the wounded is large. Arrests were made after firing had taken place."

Q.:—"Was there any harshness practised in making these arrests?"

A.:—"Awful atrocities were committed at the time of these arrests. Men were handcuffed while the chastity of many women was violated. Later on even women were arrested They were put on their trial and were sentenced for sedition. While the trials were going on in the courts, Martial Law was proclaimed in Suva."

Q.:—"Is Martial Law still in force?"

A.:—"It was in force upto the 7th of June when we embarked. We do not know whether it is still in force or not."

Q.:—"How many Indians were arrested?"

A.:—"Two hundred men and some women They were made to stand in the sun from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. and crumbs were thrown to them as if they were dogs. This was a most harrowing sight beyond your imagination. Other forms of atrocities were also committed. The Europeans and Fijian soldiers stripped men of their clothes in front of women and women were made naked in front of men and thus these soldiers made a fun of it. The soldiers would tear open the *Lahgas* (lower garments) of the women with their bayonets. There is no end to these atrocious acts. Even the machine guns would tremble before these horrors."

These are very serious allegations indeed, and they remind us of the Punjab tragedies. It seems that they have played the Punjab Drama in Fiji in some of its details with certain original variation. The wonder is that the Colonial office has up to this time refused to make independent investigations on the ground that these allegations have not been confirmed. But who is going to confirm them? Surely not the Fiji authorities who have been responsible for these acts. Why has the Government of India been silent about Fiji? But the most important question is, what have we done for our countrymen in that colony? We should at once send a Commission of Enquiry to Fiji to report on the so-called open rebellion in that colony. This would cost us a few thousand of rupees. Shall we grudge this money being spent for our humiliated countrymen? Does not the dishonour of our Indian women in Fiji mean anything to the honour of our Motherland? If it does then what are we going to do?—Yours, etc.

EK BHARTIYA HRIDAYA,

RISING AT RUMAILA.

FORCE FROM BAGDAD MOVING.

INSTRUCTIONS TO INDIAN GOVT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. midnight, July 16.

In the House of Commons, replying to a question with regard to the rising at Rumaila, Mr. Churchill said that military operations were progressing, but were hampered by a shortage of railway-stock, as six trains had been captured or derailed. Detachments at Samawa and a company of Indian infantry at Rumaila were isolated. The troops at Rumaila and relief detachments, who were fifteen miles from Rumaila, had received severe casualties. Railway communication has been interrupted in places, and the large district was in great disorder. Small local relief parties, which had up to the present advanced, had been unable to cope with the disorder.

A considerable force was moving down from Bagdad, and he had asked the Indian Goverament to warn further force to be ready, in case of emergency. He pointed out that communications of the army in Mesopotamia could very largely be maintained by the River Euphrates, and did not depend on the railway. There was no reason to suppose that if sufficient effort were made, order could not be thoroughly re-established.

WILL BRITAIN ASSIST PERSIA?

PRECARIOUS POSITION OF TEHERAN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14.
Recd. 5 p.m., July 16.

Reuter learns from an official Persian cource that the Bolsheviks have landed fresh troops at Enzeli and Meshedisar which have already reached the Noor mountains between Mazandaran and Teheran. If they do not meet with effective resistance Teheran whom may soon be at their mercy. The same official authority urges Britain to assist Persia to create an army sufficiently strong to deal with the situation themselves.

"The Times," referring to the attitude of Moscow executive that they did not consent to the invasion of Persia, points out that the British Government will require specific assurances of the Soviet's ability to control its subordinates before Krassin's new terms are considered.

FRENCH FLAG REMOVED FROM EMBASSY AT BERLIN.

PROTEST TO GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 16.

Paris.—A telegram from Berlin says that the French flag which was hoisted over the Embassy on the occasion of the celebrations on July 14th was removed by a person who climbed to the roof. It was immediately replaced. The French representative has protested to the German Government.

IRISH SITUATION.

N. U. OF RAILWAYMEN'S CALL FOR TRUCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14.
Recd. 1-15 p.m., July 16.

At the Trade Union Congress the National Union of Railwaymen moved a resolution declaring that the state of Ireland was due to the failure to recognise the Irish claim and also to the failure of the British Government to deal with those who had defied law and order and supported open rebellion, whose example was followed by others. The resolution also called for truce among all parties, the Government forthwith to open an Irish Parliament with full Dominion Powers in Irish affairs and adequate protection for the minorities.

Mr. Thomas, presiding, stated that as the result of the railwaymen's policy in Ireland seven hundred railwaymen had been suspended or dismissed. The Post Office amendment demanding withdrawal of the Army of Occupation and immediate application of the principle of self-determination was negatived by 2,676.000 votes to 1,916,000 and the railwaymen's resolution was adopted by 1,953,000 to 2.759,000.

SWEEPING UP OF MINES.

PROGRESS DONE BY ALLIES,

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 0-15 a.m., July 17.

In the House of Commons, replying to Viscount Curzon with regard to the sweeping up of mines, Mr. Bonar Law said that Great Britain and the United States had cleared the areas allotted to them. France had nearly done so. Italy had still a considerable portion to do and he could not state when it would be finished. Germany had given an assurance that she would clear her areas, but the date of completion had not yet been fixed.

AUCTION OF CEYLON TEA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. midnight, July 16.

At an auction of Ceylon Tea, there was further improvement. The common leaf was sold at six pence per pound, plain medium at nine pence to a shilling good medium at a shilling to fifteen pence, fine at eighteen pence to two shillings and a penny.

GREEKS' LATEST OUTRAGE.

KHILAFAT DELEGATION'S APPEAL TO ALLIES.

"PUNISH GUILTY AS WAR CRIMINALS."

(Special to "The Chronicle.")

PARIS, July 14.

The Indian Khilafat Delegation have addressed the following to the Allied representatives at Spa:—

"The Indian Khilafat Delegation learn from a telegram of the 'Morning Post's' Constantinople correspondent, published by that newspaper of July 12 that the Greeks are reported to have put to death about 15,000 Turkish Nationalist troops said to have been captured after the battle following the fall of Balikesri on the ground that they do not constitute Regular Army and that by International Law they are bandits liable to death. Such monstrously revolting practices, which would in any case stagger humanity, are all the more amazing in their naked and unashamed brutality by reason of the assurance recently given by the British Prime Minister in the House of Commons that the Nationalist Army was recognised as a combatant army and subject to the laws of war. This news, coming on the heels of the menace of bombarding the mosque, as well as the town of Broussa reported to have been held out by the British Admiral if difficulties were placed by the Nationalist Army in the way of landing of the British and Greek forces on the coast of Marmora, is bound to give rise to the impression that neither the pledges and laws of war nor the common instincts of humanity are of any avail in protecting the defenders of an independent existence of Turkey and Khilafat against the mad fury of those that are bent upon their destruction; and the responsibility for the grave and incalculable consequences of such impression will be fully shared by every one of the Allied Powers that is using the Greek forces as an instrument for carrying out its anti-Turkish and anti-Muslim policy.

"The Indian Khilafat Delegation would recall the rage of the Allies against the German bombardment of the Cathedrals of Rheims and Soissons and other horrors attributed to the German forces and they cannot conceive how the Allied Powers can now justify the use of two weights and measures. The least that the Delegation expect from the Allies is that they would take immediate steps to put a stop to such outrageous practices and punish those guilty of them as war criminals."

(Sd.) MOHAMED ALI.
President, Indian Khilafat Delegation,
Hotel Wagram,
Paris.

PUNJAB ATROCITIES.

PUBLICITY THROUGH CINEMA FILMS.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—The decision of the Army Council and the mood of the British Parliament on the Punjab atrocities reveal the most daring and bare faced condonation by an ill-concealing whitewash of the vilest crime against humanity. Those who were loudest in their condemnation of German reprisals on civil persons of admittedly hostile countries can conveniently reconcile their conscience in the case of more brutal and more humiliating treatment by British Officers accorded to unarmed and harmless co-subjects who had helped England to win the great war with all the resources at their disposal. This has considerably shaken the confidence of Indians so far reposed in British justice. That in the twentieth century, civilization and culture of England permits her to tolerate nay even attempt to justify the most frightful atrocities and indiscriminate shooting down of unarmed and innocent citizens must prove a rude shock to many who hailed with hopes the much talked of new angle of vision in the governance of India.

The age of Burke, Sheridan, Pitt and such other English champions of truth and liberty, who once graced the benches of the British Parliament and rightly won for it an everlasting fame for justice, is gone, and in their stead have come men of the type and calibre of Sir Edward Carson, who can lead a movement to oppose with armed force legitimate Government in Ulster, but when it concerns India and Indians he can consistently with his conscience and antecedents exhaust all the forensic abilities at his command to justify the most inhuman and cowardly shooting down in cold blood of helpless men, women and children against whom nothing unconstitutional or savouring of violence could be alleged. I need not dilate further on this except that the attitude of the authorities concerned is an intolerable insult added to an injury of the gravest nature which Indians can never forgive, much less forget.

As suggested in your columns previously, India must now expose these ugly doings to humanity at large and show to the world that British justice is no longer a hall-mark of impartiality. This can no doubt be done to a certain extent by giving wider publicity to these atrocities through the columns of foreign press, but to my mind the most effective and realistic means of bringing home to the public at large in foreign countries the terrorising and brutal methods of British Rule in India is through the medium of cinema productions. It will be remembered that German atrocities were most successfully proclaimed by interested parties through this same medium.

There are cinema film producing companies in America who can stage for the screen any subject if given the proper materials. Why not raise funds to prepare a cinema film of the Punjab atrocities?

The evidence recorded before the Congress Committee and General Dyer's own admissions before the Hunter Committee would suffice for the materials required. Of course if such a production were screened we would never see it in India, thanks to the vigilance of our benign police authorities, but let it be exhibited in America and the other foreign countries where the public still labour under the halo of the immaculate British justice and British ideals. Let it also go down to posterity as depicting faithfully and without exaggeration the "brave" deeds of "gallant" British Officers in the year 1919 of the Christian Era and give a lie to the boast of every Englishman speaking of British justice. Then will the eyes of humanity open wide and see in its true perspective humanity as preached by England and as practised by her "gallant" sons.

One more word, Sir, that is that a famous General addressing his soldiers is reported to have said "Remember we are soldiers and not butchers." It would have been better if the Army Council had followed this wise counsel and dealt with one who had disgracefully deviated from the traditional honour o' the army. Now it is too late to hope for that. But let not the lessons of the famous Zabern affair in Germany be forgotten.—Yours etc.,

DAVID S. ERULKAR.
Kazrani Building, New Nagapada Road,
Byculla Post,
Bombay, July 16.

ALCOHOL AS FUEL.

RESEARCH WORK BEGUN.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 0-15 a.m., July 17.

The Fuel Research Board has issued a memorandum with regard to the employment of alcohol as fuel. After referring to its great suitability for certain classes of motor vehicles [illegible] of the Board, states that alcohol cannot be produced, economically, in Great Britain, but there are large tracts available in the Dominions, where the cost of production is less, and where it is possible to grow vegetable substances containing starch or sugar, necessary for power alcohol.

The matter is being investigated in various Dominions and Colonies. Molasses are very suitable as raw material. Waste material or a natural product of small value would, however, probably, have to be utilised, owing to the commercial value of anything used for foodstuffs.

Sir Frederick points out that in the tropical portions of the Empire, there are vast quantities of rapidly growing vegetation suitable. The Research work has been initiated with the object of treating such cheaply.

REVOLUTION IN BOLIVIA.

GOVERNMENU OVERTHROWN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 15.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 16.

Santiago De Chile.—A revolution in Bolivia has overthrown the Government and the revolutionary leader Saavedra has assumed the power of the ex-President. The members of the Government have taken refuge in the American Legation.

FRESH WIRELESS CRISIS.

NEGOTIATIONS BREAK DOWN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 14.
Recd. 1-15 p.m., July 16.

A fresh wireless crisis has arisen. It is understood that the negotiations which were agreed to on June 24th, have broken down. The recent resumption of work was conditional on the settlement within a month ending July 23rd.

The "C. M. Gazette" understands that arms and bombs have been recovered by the police in the Gujranwalla district recently and that the police have arrested in that connection two Maulvies. (A.P.)

"TURNED THE CORNER"!

KHILAFAT DELEGATION'S WORK IN FRANCE.

MR. MAHOMED ALI'S ACCOUNT.

We publish below two further letters from Mr. Mahomed Ali to Mr. Shaukat Ali:—

Regina Hotel,
Paris, June 11th, 1920.

My dear Shaukat,

I arrived here on the 6th and leave again for London to-morrow the 12th.

Greek Friend Smashed.

I have already sent a short telegram about the meeting addressed by Dr. Reshad in the Palace of Justice—a meeting of the Comite Nationale d'Etudes. I will only add that this man Victor Berard is an impudent fellow, and quite a dishonest controversialist. He takes up so much time that he leaves none for anybody to answer his very assailable remarks. The last time this thing happened to me, but I could have excused him because I took twice as much time as I would have done on account of having to be interpreted sentence by sentence; but this time Reshad spoke in French, and, would you believe it, the closely reasoned speech of Reshad, full of fact and figures, did not last half the time that Monsieur Berard took in attacking it! Then came a Greek gentleman, who very glibly went on quoting Lord Salisbury and Mr. Lloyd George, in fact everybody and everything except the tables of statistics compiled by a number of people, none of whom supported the claims and contentions of Venezelos. It was past seven o'clock when he finished, and it was the urgency of the matter that compelled me to intervene in the discussion when people were preparing to leave for dinner. But in a few sentences I did a fair amount of work in the way of smashing up our Greek friend.

Berard is violent, and has taken to writing in a paper called "L'Ere Nouvelle"—"The New Era." The worst part of it is that the man has a reputation for erudition, and is supposed to be a sort of political expert on Eastern affairs, and I am told that yesterday he was explaining the treaty to the Foreign Commission of the Senate. We have to do a great deal to undo his work, and I have already been to the Chamber of Deputies where I had a long discussion with about half a dozen members of the Foreign Affairs Commission, to which I will refer later.

Berard is fearfully disgusted that, in spite of his great self, we are forging ahead, and the success of our meeting on the 9th must be a tremendous blow to him.

France in "Fearful Entanglement."

Before I come to this question let me tell you that I have been doing even more useful work by going to see a number of important people, and I should like to tell you that there is every prospect of the French making peace with the Turkish nation. They do not like to fight them at all, and to judge by an article contributed by Monsieur Fribourg, Secretary to the Commission for Foreign Affairs of the Chamber of Deputies, to the Venezelist paper "Le Matin," France should soon be able to get out of this fearful entanglement.

By the way I went to Versellies on the 7th just in time to break my fast at 9-15 p.m. The Hotel des Reservoirs has an annexe where the Turks live, but in the main block there is a fine dining room and restaurant, where I ordered my dinner before proceeding to see Tewfik Pasha on my return from London. They had just finished their own dinner, and when I told them I would come to see them immediately after I had dined, some of them followed me to the dining room of the Hotel and sat with us while I gorged myself after 24 hours' starvation. When, after sharing some of the strawberries and cream with Damad Ismail Hakki Bey and Muneer Bey, I wanted to pay the bill, I was informed by the management that the bill had already been paid by the gentlemen who were sharing what I had considered to be my strawberries and cream! After dinner we went to the apartment of the Turkish Delegation and talked things over with the old Pasha and his son Damad Ismail Hakki and Muneer Bey. Did I tell you he is the Damad of the present Sultan? We saw them again on the 9th, because I read in the papers that Tewfik Pasha, with ten others, was proceeding that day to Constantinople. As we had not heard anything about Pasha's going himself, I thought it necessary to go and bid him goodbye, but on going there found that he was not going at all, but that as arranged his colleagues and some secretaries were going. I returned shortly afterwards, presenting them with two copies of the group of the Delegation taken by Swaine, and also four copies of my own photograph, also taken by Swaine.

Discussion with Deputies.

On my return from there, I went by appointment to the Palais Bourbon, where the Chamber of Deputies sits. Here we were received by half a dozen deputies, whose names I do not remember but whose cards my friend and interpreter Monsieur de Waldan has left with him. These were, I believe, of the Catholic party, but they are men of influence and I had a very satisfactory discussion with them. They were quite satisfied with our proposal that Turkey should give autonomy to such parts of her empire as desired it.

By the way, Pierre Loti wrote to me quoting an important political friend of his who said that it was certain that the Treaty with Turkey would be revised. The only question is as to the extent of the revision, because small "concessions" are of no use at all, and in fact they may prove dangerous when you have a man like Damad Ferid Pasha who is anxious to negotiate himself with the Allies. Every day we read in the papers telegrams announcing that he is about to proceed to Paris. Just now I hear that there is disinclination on the part of England to have him here in person! Monsieur Venezelos is however coming, some say because he wants a republic in Greece, (and certainly after making an empire for Greece, he should himself become Emperor), while others say that he is feeling the ground slipping from under his feet just when he thought he had finally triumphed.

Work in France Bearing Fruit.

Well, my dear Shaukat, I can safely say that our work here in France is *now bearing fruit*. Our claims are known and people's sympathies have been aroused, and the Turkish problem is to-day an absorbing problem for the French, and I doubt if any French statesmen can justify in France the Treaty offered to Turkey.

The telegram that I sent yesterday to "The Chronicle" contained the honest opinion of a number of Frenchmen who are working with us, and who are now convinced that French opinion has distinctly changed in favour of the Turks. In England, too, although they would not confess that India is making them uneasy, there is a lot in the papers against Mesopotamian and Persian adventures. Mr. Lloyd George is openly trying to buy Persia from Krassin, but although I know nothing about these Bolshevik gentlemen, I very much doubt if they will follow in the footsteps of Russian imperialism and sell and buy other countries without a qualm of conscience. But certainly the happenings in the Middle East have upset the British Government greatly, and they must now realise how menacing the situation can become if they persist in the policy of imperialism and exploitation. I am told that Mr. Lloyd George is veering round, though Lord Curzon is still obdurate and insists that the treaty framed by him is workable.

Culmination of Efforts.

The culmination of our efforts so far was the meeting held in the Hall of Civil Engineers on the 9th, about which I am sending a telegram to "The Chronicle" to-day. Next week perhaps "The Outlook" will bring you fuller news of it, and in the meantime you will get a fairly long telegraphic summary. So I say no more about the meeting except to declare that it was no less enthusiastic than that of the Socialists organised by Longuet, and yet this meeting was organised by the bourgeoisie, and I think on the whole "it is this meeting which will have more effect than Longuet's meeting." The hall was more than packed, there being about 600 people present although there was room for 400 only; admission was by card as in the case of the Salle Hoche meeting. The president was a former Colonial Minister, and Claude Farrere also spoke. The speeches were *quite* good, and what is more they were very relevant, and although appeals were made to French self-interests, which was natural, and in fact desirable, sufficient stress was laid at the same time on the ideal aspects of the question and on the liberty of conscience and the preservation of the Khilafat as an essential institution of Islam. I am embodying the long resolution passed at the meeting unanimously, in the telegram to "The Chronicle." This is going to be used as a poster.

A telegram will be framed by Syud to-day for despatch to "The Chronicle," so I do not say much more about the meeting. We found here for the first time quite a large number of Indians, though we had met a few [illegible] to our assistance in lecturing after Syud's speech and showing this a magic lantern photographs of India that he had taken, which illustrated old Hindu buildings as well as the beauties of Agra, Delhi, and Bijapur.

I must now say goodbye.

Well, Al-wida' again, and may the 'Eed be Mubarek and Sa'ed for all of us and for Islam.

I go to London to-morrow, all the time nervous that I may not be able to get the Supplement ready in time, but determined to do my best with it.

Love to all.

Yours very lovingly,
(Sd.) MAHOMED.

P.S.—I forget to tell you that Senator Hollis invited us to dinner on the 8th, and like a good man he made me sit next to a very important American journalist, Mr. Bass, who was greatly impressed by all I had to tell him.

After dinner Hollis again asked me to explain the whole of our case, and in about an hour I gave them a full idea of the situation and of our demands. They were all very much impressed and I expect excellent results from this dinner, and from the acquaintance and friendship that I have formed with Senator Hollis. He has gone to America, and will speak to a number of people there, and in the meantime he has given me a number of introductions to his American friends. Of this more later.

M.

8, Albert Hall Mansions,
Kensington Gore, S.W. 7.
June 17th, 1920.

My dear Shaukat.

I have just returned after a very tiring day, from the Woking Mosque where they celebrated the 'Eed to-day. The pity of it is that we can hardly ever see the moon here on the last night to a lunar month and they have therefore to go according to the Almanac. Thus, I find, that while you in India saw the new moon on the 29th Shaban, on the 19th May, we here were fasting on that day already and somehow or other they fixed upon the 17th June as the first of Shawwal and celebrated the Eed accordingly.

To-day the "Daily Mail" announced what I knew a fortnight ago, that the Treaty is going to be revised, and quite naively, they attribute this to the impending arrival of Damad Ferid Pasha in Paris, whereas clearly it is the work of Mustafa Kemal and not a little of the people of India and Afghanistan particularly of their magnificant king. May God spare him for Islam for scores of years to come!

"Turned the Corner".

I think I should send a cable to-night to Chotani Seth expressing the hope that he will persevere, and that the Committee and the people of India would go on working self-sacrificingly and courageously. *I think we have already turned the corner.* What is now required is that *we should see this thing through*, with self-sacrifice and with a little more perseverance on the part of the leaders, we shall, God willing, yet succeed.

Your last letter would have greatly depressed me had I not received in Paris a copy of your wire sent from Bombay after the Allahabad Meeting, which although not as detailed as I would have wished, gave us sufficient encouragement. I suppose it must be for the twentieth time that I shall be repeating the same thing, but really I must, and it is this, that no matter how great, in our own way, we here may individually and collectively be, we cannot achieve the least success beyond that which *you* in India deserve! We can only do a little bit of window-dressing and advertising of *your* wares. It is the quality of the wares, however, which would mean the success of the business. I know that the masses are splendid. Please let them know in India how grateful we feel here to them for their splendid readiness to dare all and do all. Really it is remarkable how well Mahatma Gandhi and you are restraining them. It is now no longer necessary to agitate in the orthodox sense of the term. People are already greatly agitated over the matter, not because of what you or any other leader says to them, has said them personally, but because of the dire calamity with which they are face to face. What is necessary to-day is, to direct their feelings and energies into proper channels, and I can fully realise how you have succeeded so far in that respect. For our part, we too have continued to do the work entrusted to us to the best of our power.

To-night Mr. Abul Kasim and I are off to Glasgow and Syud would follow to-morrow morning. There is some sort of a Peace Society which is holding an important Conference there which we hope to address. There is also a meeting on Amritsar on the 20th. On the 21st we hope to be back in London and then we shall start two or three days afterwards for Paris for our big meeting at Salle Wagran fixed for the 25th June. Thereafter, I hope to go with half of the Delegation to Rome.

Supplement to "Foreign Affairs."

Yesterday afternoon I finished, after 11 days' and some night's labour, the supplement to the "Foreign Affairs," which will be now 24 pages instead of the 16 we had originally hoped to be able to put in. I think this will be a fairly full exposition of the iniquities of the peace terms, as offered on the 11th of May last. Perhaps by the 1st July when the Supplement is to be published, here, that Treaty would have already been withdrawn and another would have been substituted. From the Mosque we have sent a cable to the Khalifa and a telegram to the King, which is being sent to India also by cable. I will now say good-bye. This is the first Eed we have celebrated away from each other, but whether together or apart, we are both working in the path of the Lord and if He is pleased with us Inshallah we shall succeed. Love to all co-workers and friends and relations.

Once more. Eed Mubarik.

Yours ever lovingly,
(Sd.) MAHOMED.

A Madras message of July 16 says:—

About 500 compositors of the Government Press have gone on strike (A. P. I.)

PROF. T. K. GUJJAR.

Whose death occurred yesterday morning at Santa-Cruz.

DEATH OF PROF. T. K. GAJJAR.

We regret to announce the death of Prof. T. K. Gajjar, the renowned chemist of Bombay which occurred from heart failure yesterday morning at Santa Cruz.

Prof. Gajjar was born in 1863, and after matriculating in 1879, prosecuted his studies in the Elphinstone College and took his B.Sc. degree in 1883, his B. A. in 1884 and his M. A. in 1885 with distinction in all examinations. He was then appointed a Professor of Chemistry at Baroda, where he established the "Kalabhavan" (the Industrial School) which at present is in a flourishing condition. He was afterwards Prof. of Chemistry in the Wilson College and started his private laboratory in Girgaum. In 1896 he succeeded in renovating the Queen's Statue in the Esplanade Road, a problem which could not be tackled by any other chemist in India. This spread his renown far and wide in India and his position as a great chemist was popularly recognized since that date. Soon after he devoted his energies to the discovery of a specific for the Bubonic Plague that raging wildly. Here too he had a great success in putting forward his plague remedies, the efficiency of which was recognized after full experiment by well-known surgeons and doctors. Since 1901 Prof. Gajjar devoted himself completely to the developing of his Techno-Chemical Laboratory where chemical experiments were tried to further the progress of Indian industry. From this Laboratory were put forth various schemes of which the Alembic Chemical Works and other factories are the outcome. The Laboratory was recognized by the University of Bombay for the degree of M. A. in chemistry. His laboratory and phramacy are now conducted by his son Mr. Krishnalal T. Gajjar, B.A., B.Sc. During the last Influenza epidemic Prof. Gajjar's Specific saved the lives of millions. Several medical discoveries of his are awaiting development at the hands of his son.

Prof. Gajjar was known not only as a chemist of original genius but also as the originator of various educational schemes and for his active sympathy for the Seva Sadan, the Vanita Vishram and other institutions for the advancement of female education. He died at the age of 57.

PRESS WORKERS' MEETING.

THE "TIMES" STRIKE.

An ordinary general meeting of the Press Workers' Union was held on Sunday last at Hira Baug, at 4 p.m., Mr. L. R. Tairsee presiding. Dr. Sathaye, Mr. Kanayalal Kothari, Mr. H. K. Mehta were present along with about 2,500 members. Mr. Mavji Govindji Sheth addressed the meeting and deplored the fact that the "Times" strike is still continued. He referred to the false reports circulated in some papers, and said that there was no settlement and that the negotiations had failed. The men had never promised to return to work. Mr. Mavji said that such false reports embittered the relations further. He asked them to stick to the cause of truth and justice. The "Times" management had complained that the strike was due to agitation. He put it to them if they had struck work because of the intrigues and threats of agitators (cries of No! No!). If the men felt they were right they must persist.

After some other speeches, Mr. Tairsee wound up the proceedings by narrating the chief points of their interview with Mr. Smith of the "Times" Press. They were prepared to reduce their other demands, but Krishna Mahadev Thankar must be taken back. This the "Times" management would not agree to. He said it was not the dismissal of one man, but a matter of principle. If one of their leaders was dismissed to-day, more might be dismissed later. It was a question of prestige versus principle.

Mr. Tairsee then appealed for funds for the Strikers' Families Relief Fund.

INTERNATIONAL LABOUR CONFERENCE.

APPOINT LALA LAJPAT RAI IN PLACE OF MR. JOSHI.

CAWNPORE, July 15.

The following telegram has been sent to the Viceroy by the president of the Cawnpore Labour Union, Cawnpore, Mazdin Sabha prays his Excellency to nominate Lala Lajpatrai in place of Mr. Joshi as labour representative at the forthcoming International Conference.

MANAWADAR STATE.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—In the recent havoc made by the heavy storm in Kathiawar several of the people have suffered as a result of a considerable loss of human lives, animals, dwellings, etc. In this critical course, much State help had been given to the subject of the above State and great sympathy had been shown by Her Highness towards them and I see it dutiful as loyal subject of that State to humbly express my gratitude to Her Highness and pray for her long life peace and prosperous reign.—Yours etc.,

NANALAL JESOOKHLAL RAWAL.
Frere Road, No. 30,
Fort, Bombay, July 15.

PROPOSED INCREASE OF RAILWAY FARES.

PASSENGERS' ASSOCIATION'S PROTEST.

RAILWAY INQUIRY WELCOMED.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Indian Passengers and Traffic Relief Association was held in the office of Mr. L. R. Tairsey, Mr. Mowji Govindji Sheth presiding.

Regarding the deputation to wait upon H. E. the Governor of Bombay, it was resolved that a letter to the Agent G. I. P. Railway should be addressed with a copy of the letter from the Private Secretary to His Excellency.

With reference to the revision of the third class passengers' fares, it was resolved that the secretary is authorized to address all the public bodies of Bombay inviting their co-operation in the matter of holding a mass meeting.

Regarding the proposed inquiry committee of Railway Administration it was resolved that the Government be approached to appoint at least half the number of elected Indians and that this body be given a right of electing one representative.

Regarding Victoria and motor accidents it was resolved that a deputation consisting of Messrs. B. F. Bharoocha, V. P. Vaidya Hansraj Pragaji Thakersey and Jivraj G. Nensey should wait upon the Commissioner of Police and discuss the question with him.

The following telegram has been dispatched to his Excellency the Viceroy:—

"The Executive Committee, Indians Passengers and Traffic Relief Association welcomes appointment of Railway administration inquiry committee praying your Excellency to appoint atleast half the number of elected Indians and also giving right to this body of electing one representative.

SHARE BAZAR PROSPECTS.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—The ways of the Share Bazaar or rather the operators therein are past understanding. The late Mr. Jamshedji Tata. I do not know how much truth there is in the story is said to have named the Share Bazar, Chore Bazar. Anyhow the fact remains the real investor has had very little chance during the course of the year. This class of being has either turned speculator himself and or has held aloof leaving the field clear to Bulls and Bears to fight each other down. In my last letter addressed to you sometime ago, I had ventured to assert that the time had come for investors to step in. But few did actually venture in. The market soon recovered its buoyancy after a short period of stagnation. Once again the bull speculator reared his head and of those wiseacres who confidently predicted Davids touching 1,100, Kohinoors 2,800, Fazuls 1,300, there is no one now. But it appears that the Bulls are not going in rashly this time They are aware the market is very sensative and is liable to sudden shocks. Witness what happened yesterday when within the course of one hour, the rates of mill shares went down considerably. One broker sent round a circular explaining that the fall was due to adverse news from China, as if rebellions in China and martial law in Peking were a new thing, as if Hongkong which is in British territory, a thousand miles away from Peking will in any measure be affected by the news. Nay the news can be construed as even favourable to us. The crisis in Peking is due to the impending downfall of the Japanophil party in the army, which has hitherto sat like an incubus upon the country. It is a notorious fact that this party was bribed to put down the still rigorous boycott or Japanese goods in China. Once the Japanophil party is cleared, South China which is our largest buyers of yarn will be in the ascendant and dumping of Japanese goods on China will be even more difficult. The stocks of yarn in China are very low and it can be confidently predicted before a few months, she will resume buying Indian yarn.

The outlook inspite of the Jeremiahs of the Bazar who want some argument to keep the market down, continues very bright. The local demand for yarn continues incessant. The spinning section of the mills is not so efficient as the weaving, and with the shortening of hours in the mills, there is actually a shortage of yarn in many a weaving mill. Hence the persistent demand for yarn.

Contrary also to the general belief, the profits of the mills for the second half year are bound to be greater than the first unprecedented as the latter are. For it happens, many mills owing to heavy forward sales in February and March had sold their products upto September and October at very high rates. The realisations against these contracts are now coming in, and meanwhile the cotton consumed is very low in price. Many mills are in this happy predicament. My advice therefore to those who have got into shares whether at low values or at the present value is to stick fast to them like leeches and not to let them in a panic. They will amply be recompensated for their patience later on. As for bear raids in the near future, it must be remembered that the great coup by a bear speculator last month was possible only because he had powerful extraneous support in the shape of scrips ready for delivery. Many mill scrips have now passed into even stronger hands, and bear operations on a large scale can no longer be dreaded. A parting word of comfort to those who have mursed their scrips through so many fluctuations and that is the profits of the mills this year are no enormous that several of them could build new mills with them if they should so decide.—Yours, etc.,

B. M. A.

Bombay, July 15.

VICEROY'S NEW EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

2 INDIAN MEMBERS: MESSRS. SHAFI AND B. N. SARMA.

3RD INDIAN TO BE APPOINTED WHEN VACANCY OCCURS.

(Associated Press.)
SIMLA, July 15.

A communiqué says:—

A notification of the Government of India has been issued to-day, bringing into operation section 28 of the Government of India Act, 1919, and other provisions of the Act relating to the Governor-General's Executive Council. The effect of this is to abolish the existing statutory limit on the number of the members of the Governor-General's Executive Council and thus render it possible to add a second Indian member to the Council. Under section 47 (2) of the Act the present members of the Council go out of office, but are eligible for reappointment.

A second notification of the Government of India has been issued announcing the appointments which His Majesty has been pleased to make to the Governor-General's Executive Council as constituted under sections 36 and 37 of the Government of India Act. The new Council will consist of (1) General Sir Charles Munro, (2) Sir George Lowndes, (3) Sir George Barnes, (4) Sir William Vincent, (5) Khan Bahadur Mian Mohamed Shafi, (6) Mr. Hailey, (7) Sir Thomas Holland, (8) Rao Bahadur B. N. Sarma. The tenure of office of members of the Executive Council who have been appointed under the provisions of section 47 (2) of the Government of India Act, 1919, will be deemed to reckon from the date of their first appointment. It is the intention of the Government as soon as a suitable vacancy occurs which will probably be before the end of the year to recommend the appointment of a third Indian member of the Council in fulfilment of the recommendation of the Joint Committee which was accepted by His Majesty's Government.

MR. SARMA TO BE IN CHARGE OF REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(Associated Press.)
ALLAHABAD, July 16.

The "Pioneer" understands that the Hon. Mr. B. N. Sarma who has been appointed as a member of the Viceroy's Executive Council will be in charge of the departments of Revenue and Agriculture.

LATE MR. THAKURDAS BALMUKANDA MODI.

(From a Correspondent.)

Mr. Thakurdas Balmukandas Modi, a respectable citizen of Surat, and a Desawal Banio by caste died in Surat on the 16th instant. Born in 1832, he was 88 at the time of his death. When he commenced life, his family was in very trying circumstances, and so he was employed as a clerk drawing one rupee per month. In 1848 he offered himself for a service in the then well-known Indian bank, the firm of Seth Atmaram Bhukandas, by whom he was sent in 1851 to Bombay to serve as a clerk on a salary of Rs. 30 per annum in their brach there. He continued to serve here till 1864-1865 during which period he had been able to amass good fortune. In the latter part of this period, Seth Thakoredas was one of the directors in one of the banks floated in Bombay and then known by the name of Finances. He returned to Surat in 1866 after the failure of the firm of Atmaram Bhukanand, commenced cotton business in some villages of the Surat district. He retired from this line in about 1902 owing to loss of eyesight. Then he actively began to serve the public as the Hon. Secretary of the Surat Hindu Charity Fund, a post which he occupied till his death.

As business man Mr. Thakurdas was shrewd honest and outspoken. But he is better known as a private man. As he had to pass through numerous up and downs, he had the personal knowledge of the difficulties of the poor and the needy. To helpless men and women he was always accessible. They could open their hearts freely to him.

Seth Thakoredas leaves behind him two sons, two grandsons and four grand daughters. The eldest son of Mr. Thakoredas is Mr. Maganlal Modi who recently donated two lakhs of rupees to the Surat Sarvajanik Education Society for the purpose of having the Surat Arts College raised to the first grade. His loss is felt not only by the members of his large family but by the general public of Surat. The Library and Dispensary conducted from the Hindu Charity Funds and the Mahilo Vidyalya at Surat, and the Gujarati Type Foundry of Bombay were closed for a day in honour of the deceased.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir.—Now that suggestions are being made for improvement in the working of the Stock Exchange here I should like o draw the attention of the executive to a point which has not so far been mentioned. I understand that on the London Stock Exchange in the case of Companies which by their Articles of Association reserve to themselves the right of declining to register the transfer of fully paid up shares without assigning any reason, their shares are not quoted in the Official List. This is to say they are not officially recognised. May I suggest that this practice be adopted here also as a safeguard to the investing public who would in this way be aware if they purchased such shares that there was this condition attached to them.—Yours, etc.

R. E. BHARUCHA.

1, Elphinstone Circle,
July 16.

SAVED FROM GALLOWS.

DR. BASHIR ON O'DWYERIAN REGIME.

WHO ORGANISED JALLIAN-WALLA MEETING?

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I shall feel highly thankful if you will kindly publish the following letter in your valuable paper:—

One had liked to believe that after such a thorough exposure and such a strong condemnation even by responsible men of his own kith and kin, of the "Prussianism" practised by Sir M. O'Dwyer during his holding the highest office in the Punjab, the gallant Sir Michael would prefer a quiet corner unexposed to public gaze, to ruminate and perhaps even to repent, nay to shed a tear or two in remorse for the atrocities perpetrated on a race which has always and specially recently spilt its precious blood in abundance to maintain the dignity of their august Sovereign. But to expect this from a man of Sir Michael's disposition is to expect impossibilities. The already impossible task of forgetting him is being rendered harder still by his persistent campaign against the Punjabis. He had adopted a strong attitude of histility against the educated community of the Punjab in particular and of India in general. An educated man was to him as a red rag is to the buil. In the council, and outside, in Durbars, in public functions wherever and whenever he opened his lips, the burden of his song was a ruthless denunciation of the "agitator" who in whose mind was synonymous with "Disloyal." Who can ever possibly forget the immense wrong done to and innumerable injuries inflicted on this community? Hundreds of them were handcuffed, fettered, locked in solitary cells, insulted and humiliated. Thousands of hearths and homes were broken up and devastated by acts of tyranny and open high-handedness perpetrated in the name of Law and Justice. The unjustifiable cold and calculated massacre of hundreds of His Majesty's most loyal and law-abiding subjects, rendering their children homeless and penniless, dependants for their mere existence on the charity of the nation has now been proved beyond doubt even out of the gallant knight's own mouth to be due to him more than to General Dyer. While the arm that played the havoc was that of the General, the brain that actuated it was surely Sir Michael's. These and a host of other acts of kindness and mercy have immortalised his name which will be handed down to posterity as that of one of the greatest benefactors of the Punjabis. I wonder why he took so much pains to get "addresses" engineered and why many of the Punjabis were forced to eulogize him against the dictates of their conscience. There is none among the living or the dead whose memory shall be cherished with more devotion and love than of this the real friend of the Punjab. The innumerable heavy groans and heart-rending grumblings and the superabundance of sighs coming out of our hearts every day bear a clear testimony to my assertion. The stealthy way in which this mighty magnate had to leave the province over which he had a despotic sway for years so "unwept, unhonoured and unsung" is the highest recognition of his popularity that the province could show to him.

Not content with what he has done during his regime, this ex-satarap cannot even now control his wrath and instead of showing even the slightest compunction for what he did he yet revels in extolling his own deeds and takes delight in singing his own praise. While doing so he has been hurling stones and flinging abuses at all those who have the misfortune of differing from him. Even Mr. Montagu—who in his zeal to keep up the so-called prestige of the Government has lavishly showered praise on him who deserves strong censure, and who has by commending instead of condemning and by approving instead of severely criticising the methods of Sir Michael has forfeited a good portion of the confidence of the Indians—has not been spared and has had rather a rough handling at the hands of this despot of despots. The Indian members of the Hunter Committee had their share and perhaps to spare. They have put in a dignified protest and the retort-courteous offered by them might act as an eye-opener for him. I had hoped that he would not touch the Martial Law convicts who had had enough of attention and kindness already at his hands. But no; that could not be and I have had the honour of being noticed by him in his well-known letter published in many papers of England and India.

A CATEGORICAL DENIAL.

To make an attempt to clear my conduct in the eyes of those who are biassed beyond measure and to whom every worker in the public cause is a terror will be a hopeless task, but I must be permitted to put in a word or two to avoid further mischief. In the first place I categorically deny all the charges levelled against me. I believe and believe most strongly that the meeting of the 13th April in the Jallianwala Bagh was perfectly an innocent one, and had I been the convener of that meeting, it would not have been a matter of shame for me to acknowledge it. But as the actual facts stand and even the Police records show I had nothing to do with that meeting. It was arranged by Hans Raj who became an approver afterwards, but who knows that even at that time he may be under the thumb of the Police. It is now an open secret that the name of our distinguished countryman (L. Kanahya Lal) was used to attract a large audience and thus to afford to the military a pretext to shoot and to shoot well and to reap a good harvest. Here in Amritsar some well-informed people have an impression that the theory of the meeting being specially organised by men inimical to the interests of the country cannot be carelessly thrown away. Any way I deny the responsibility of organising that meeting and in that I am supported by even the evidence of the opposite party. Even the judicial finding which in those days was a euphemism for prosecution story declares that I was not present at that meeting and that I am not at all responsible for anything that happened there.

THRILL OF HORROR.

As to my being present at the National Bank at the time of the outrages committed there, I emphatically repudiate the charge and I must frankly admit that my faith in the British justice is considerably attenuated when I find that such a serious charge against me is considered to be established on the absolutely false and flimsy evidence of Hans Raj, the approver, a man of no social status, of absolutely low morals and loose character and about whom it is rightly said by some that he was a tool of the Police to bring about all the mischief. If this Hans Raj was an embodiment of veracity and his word was gospel-truth then why not were his bombastic and ludicrous theories of Afghan war and burning of European bungalows believed and why was not Mir Maqbul Mahmud, pleader, placed in the dock charged with the same serious offences as I was. To believe a dismissed ticket-collector, specially when he is removed from service on account of tampering with cash, and who is in very straintened circumstances, eager to get even a low job in the Police Department, and to base conviction on such an unreliable evidence could be possible only in Martial Law days. Even now he is in the employment of the Government, a reward meted out to him for his fabricated and false evidence involving many respectable and innocent people. I was condemned to gallows on the evidence of this absolutely demoralised creature and the beauty of the whole affair is this that not only there was no independent witness to corroborate him, and that there were reliable independent witnesses contradict him, but even the Police hirelings and the so-called eye-witnesses did not depose against me and never mentioned my presence there. On the solitary statement of a hopelessly false witness I was sentenced to death, the extreme penalty provided by Law. To say that justice was being administered in these days is a clear travesty of language, or the word "justice" then must have acquired some new meaning. The repression that was rampant then, the lawlessness that was the ruling sentiment of the day, had forbidden "justice" like the legal practitioners from outside the Punjab from entering the sacred precincts of the Punjab which was being administered with naked sword. Justice is already very rare commodity when it is a question between the executive and the people, but it had become rarer and perhaps evanescent in those days. If I were to make an attempt to describe how "justice" was doled out to us by the High Court Judges and others in whose hands our destinies were then placed, I think I would send a thrill of horror and indignation amongst all the right-minded people. To deduce any conclusions from the convictions and sentences passed by Tribunals, even though presided over by the High Court Judges is to exceed all reasonable limits of fairness even if the members of the conquered race only are affected by it.

DR. BASHIR'S POSITION.

I have been released in obedience to the orders contained in the Royal Proclamation for a fairly liberal interpretation of which our sincere thanks are due to Sir Edward Maclagan, our present Lieutenant Governor, who is striving his utmost to remove the ill-effects of the oppressive regime of his predecessor. To taunt me and my colleagues on our release is to aggravate our feelings. Innocent people injured, insulted and deprived of their liberty cannot be very jubilant over their release and cannot prostrate themselves before those gods who now wish to take credit for the framing of the Proclamation and yet who cannot conceal their chagrin at the release of the persons who are an eyesore to men of Sir Michael's type. My position briefly put is this. I never did any overt acts. I never entertained any wishes of overthrowing Government, I was never a party to any deed or idea of violence against Government or for the matter of fact against any party or person. I firmly believe in straightforward methods of political agitation and hate and detest all ideas of secret societies or conspiracies. Constitutional agitation to me is my birth-right and I have no intention to desist from it even at the risk of being exactly treated as before. Sir Michael is right when he says that I am the Secretary of the local Muslim League and prominent in Khilafat Agitation. It is with a sigh of relief that I admit that at least there is one truth in this letter. If these too are crimes and offences and can form counts of indictment then adieu to all desire of political advancement and emancipation. We are in the deep mire of servitude and servillity and if to make constitutional efforts to get out of it can be dubbed as "disloyalty" then there is an end of all aspirations and ambitions which the British nation takes pride in encouraging amongst us. Khilafat is to me as the breath is to the body and I can possibly brook no interference in my religion, and I shall as long as it is possible for me to do so strive in my humble way to carry on this agitation.

Sir Michael chafes at our being treated as heroes. It is quite true that I don't deserve the praise the nation has been kind enough to bestow on me, but who can change the tide of popular enthusiasm which to a sane man clearly indicates that "Repression" can never throttle popular desire of furthering the interests of the Motherland. The persecution of the innocent by those who wield power always leads to the deification of the ordinary mortals and if I have been lucky enough to get a share of the nation's love why should Sir Michael take it to heart? If he did not like these scenes of public demonstration then why did he not behave more cautiously and soberly at a time when a little discretion on his part would have saved the country from such a catastrophe and saved him from so much of heart burn caused to him by the sight of homage paid to the popular leaders and workers in the public cause and affection displayed by the masses for devotion to the national welfare. Sir Michael ought not to lose sight of the fact that the replacement of gallows by garlands is a necessary outcome of the phase of tyranny and oppression through which we all had to perforce pass.

In the end I wish to make a suggestion to Sir Michael to this effect that we have had enough of him and of his reactionary methods and so it would be in the interests of the Governor and the governed if he adopts an attitude of reticence and does not rush to public print to make statements which not only irritate the Indians, but compel them to place before the public startling and strange disclosures and which can in no sense be creditable to the accredited agents of the British Government whose pride is that it is the most civilised Government in the world. As to myself and my friends I have not the slightest hesitation to say that nothing shall deter us from pursuing the right course of carrying on the political agitation on the most constitutional lines and if in the pursuit of that legitimate course we are harassed, handcuffed or even hanged there shall not be a moan of repentance or a sigh of regret. God willing we have determined to struggle carring not for a moment as to who wins, though I believe that eventually "Truth must vanquish all falsehoods."—Yours, etc.,

(DR.) HAFIZ MOHAMMAD BASHIR.

Amritsar, July 10.

MR. KOOR'S LETTER TO MOSLEMS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I beg to request you to publish the accompanying letter in your journal and oblige:—

(An open letter to my Musalman brethren,)

My Musalman brethren,

Having come to know that my resignation from the Secretaryship of the Central Khilafat Committee of India has not only created some misunderstanding, but has given out malicious rumours about my attitude on the question of the Khilafat, I think it to be my duty to publish for your perusal in the Urdu language the translation of my letter of resignation, so that you may fully understand the reasons of my opposition to non-co-operation which is adopted by the Central Khilafat Committee of India. I should also like to mention here that the chief cause of my opposition to non-co-operation is based on its impracticability and its most injurious effects on the Musalmans of India as a community in its present helpless and dependent position.

My Musalman brethren, allow me to assure you that neither outside influence nor any worldly temptation has guided my course of action on this religious question. I hold now the same views on the question of Khilafat which I held before my resignation. I also hold that the Turkish Peace Terms are out rageously severe, and that the same ought to be amended according to the religious doctrines of the Musalmans of India. I also hold that we should continue our religious allegiance towards Sultan Wahidudinkhan as our Holy Khalifa. I therefore say that we ought to continue our agitation against this great injustice to the Moslem world and that our agitation on this question ought to go on without ceasing till our religious cause becomes triumphant. We must force the hands of the British Government to respect our religious feelings and sentiments but the agitation must be on constitutional lines. If after ten years' constitutional agitation the partition of Bengal was cancelled, I have not the least doubt that the moral force of seventy-two millions of Indian Musalmans brought into play on constitutional lines will work miracles and prove the efficacy of the dynamic and spiritual force of Islam to an astonished Europe. If the Bengali Babus could succeed in getting an accomplished fact cancelled through constitutional agitation, I do not see any reason as to why the Musalmans of India through perseverance and vigourous applications of the same effective weapon should not succeed in accomplishing their religious objects about the Khilafat question. What we require is patience and perseverance. John Bull is said to be a phlegmatic being, but if you will continue to hammer at his door, he is sure to open the door and listen to reason and common sense.

As I have stated above I am wholly against the methods of non-co-operation and regard them as most injurious and disastrous to the interests of the Musalmans of India. I have come to these conclusions after deep thought and my sincere and independent opinion is that the methods of non-co-operation as adopted by the Central Khilafat Committee will lead the Musalman Community to utter ruin and humiliation. In this matter I have acted according to the dictates of my conscience with the sole object of saving you from certain ruin, misery and humiliation. In doing so I have displeased some people from whom I hold different views of this question. In taking this action I have been obliged to sever my happy connection with the Central Khilafat Committee and from very dear friends who hold different views. But my brethren, the sacred duty I owe to my Holy religion has compelled me to act in the manner I have done. The interests of the Moslem Community have the first claims in my heart, and in no case can I sacrifice my Moslem brethren to an unknown goal by methods whinh every man of sense has pronounced as disastrous. Can I on the face of what I regard as certain ruin, give my adherence to a ruinous course of action? God alone is my witness. My love for my Holy Religion and for my Musalman brethren has compelled me to act in this manner and I put the whole matter before you.—Yours, etc.

BADRUDIN ABDULLA KOOR.

Bombay, July 12.

CALCUTTA GOVT. PRINTERS,

NOT ON STRIKE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, July 15.

In connection with the reported strike of Government printers an Associated Press correspondent is Officially informed that there has been no actual strike though the men have been frequently assembling and discussing matters. Nor is there any likelihood of any strike.

Sir Earnest Low and Mr. A. C. Chatterjee, Members of the Board of Industries, who have been in Calcutta for the past few days recently met a deputation of printers and handed over to them a copy of a statement embodying what Government of India was proposing to do in the matter of wages and salaries of printers. This was in response to a memorial sent by the printers to the Government.

CALCUTTA CHEATING CASE.

APPEAL ADMITTED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, July 15.

At the High Court on Thursday before Justices Chatterji and Cumings an applications was made for admission of an appeal on behalf of Mr. J. J. Lynch who was convicted by the Chief Presidency Magistrate of Calcutta of cheating and sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 1,000. The case for the prosecution was that on 15th July last year the petitioner cheated Mr. A. R. C. Barrup, Assistant Collector of Customs by presenting a letter from Mr. L. Pooley, Brigade Supply Officer, Calcutta, to the Collector of Customs dated 15th July authorising shipment of 2500 bags of gram by s.s. Colubri from Calcutta to Colombo. During that period only Government stores and a limited quantity of private goods were allowed to be shipped out of Calcutta to Colombo. On the strength of that letter Mr. Barrup allowed those goods to be shipped, the appellant falsely representing that goods covered by the letter were Government stores. Similar charges were made against him in respect of 2000 bags of white beans, 5000 bags of rice, 500 bags of gram, and 800 bags of dhal. His defence was that he was employed as an agent by a Marwari gentleman who had entered into certain arrangement with Lieutenant Pooley who was subsequently court martialled. That Marwari gentleman obtained a letter of recommendation from Lieutenant Pooley and handed it to the appellant to be given to the Collector saying that unless his name was mentioned it would be very difficult to ship those goods as preference was always given to European dealers and that the appellant at once handed over the letter to the Assistant Collector. The Chief Presidency Magistrate disbelieve the defence story convicted the appellant. Their lordships admitted the appeal.

MURDER OF A MILLIONAIRE.

ACCUSED COMMITTED TO SESSIONS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, July 15.

This afternoon the Second Presidency Magistrate concluded hearing of the case in which Bhuran Singh Kissen Sieg and Nilkristo Singh were prosecuted for having murdered Babu Sarat Chandra Bag, a millionaire residing at Balaram Bar Street. After the evidence of two doctors of the Medical College Hospital who spoke of having examined injuries on the persons of the deceased, Satya Charan Pal, the deceased's servant, and also of the first accused, the Magistrate asked if the accused could make any statements. They pleaded not guilty and said that they would make their statements in the High Court. The Magistrate found that a prime facie case had been made out against them and committed them to Sessions on charges of murder, culpable homicide or grievous hurt.

DERAILMENT AT TATISILWAI.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, July 15.

At about 23-15 hours last night 125 down Ranchi-Purulia mixed train, after leaving Tatisilwai ran into a breach that had been caused by heavy floods at mile 207/18 between Tatisilwai and Gangahat, and resulted in the engine and six loading goods vehicles being badly derailed. There has been no loss of life or injuries to passengers, but the engine staff have been killed. A further breach has also occured just outside Jonha station down the outer signal, and transhipment at present is not possible. The Deputy Chief Engineer is leaving for the scene of accident to-night, and a diversion will be put in and through running resumed as soon as possible.

FRENCH SLOOP OF WAR.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

RANGOON, July 15.

The French sloop of war "Altair", which has been in Rangoon since Monday, leaves on Friday afternoon for Penang. The officers and men apreciated the hospitality shown to them by the officials and the garrison. At noon on Wednesday "Altair" fired a salute of 21 guns in honour of the French national *fete*.

The Lieut.-Governor and Lady Craddock and the party visited "Altair" during the afternoon on Wednesday and the senior officers dined at the Government House. At night the Royal Scots who served in France acts as guides to petty officers and sailors.

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RANGOON, July 15.

Col. Frank Johnson, formerly the Martial Law Administrator in Lahore, made a speech at the annual meeting of the European Association, Burma Branch. He expressed his pleasure at being invited to make a speech on the occasion which showed that his character had not entirely disappeared despite the verdict passed on himself and his brother officers by the Secretary of State for India that they had flouted all standards of propriety and humanity when appointed to administer martial law in the Punjab last year. He had but two thoughts, one that at all costs the power and prestige of the Sirkar must be maintained; and, secondly, that it should be maintained without the shedding of blood. All his orders were guided by these two objectives. He took no credit for his success. That was solely and entirely due to General Dyer's action at Amritsar. The only opinions which he regarded were his own conscience and the opinions of his own fellow-countrymen and the opinion of the great mass of loyal Indians whom he was privileged to call as friends in Northern India. Mr. Montagu's opinion left him icily cold with nothing to regret and nothing to apologise for.

Speaking of General Dyer, Col. Johnson gave it as his considered opinion that for every hundred casualties caused by him he saved a thousand that must have occurred in other parts of the Punjab.

Continuing, he said:—"When I look at the ladies present here and think of the two thousand ladies and children in Lahore and of the many hundreds scattered in twos and threes all through the district during those critical days, I say to myself, that every European here should remember with feelings of thanks the name of General Dyer."

Referring to Sir Michael O'Dwyer. Col. Josnson said that nothing worried him, neither the howls of execration uttered by the seditionists nor the insidious whispers that sometimes came from the higher authorities.

THE DIE IS CAST.

Referring to the Reform Scheme, Col. Johnson said that in India the die is cast and no good purpose is served by forecasting its evil. The only course is to wait for the inevitable bump. The only Indian Civil Service man whom he had met and who approved of the Reforms very soon after, had to go home on leave with some head trouble.

Col. Johnson continued:—If I could be satisfied that it was for the good of the Indian teeming millions that all the Europeans, soldiers and officials, should leave India, I would be the first to say "India for Indians." But history and the present conditions showed that this policy would be nothing short of a criminal betrayal of the great masses of India. He realised that India must have self-government as a child must grow up. But before that day became a matter of practical politics, vast changes in the educational and political development of India must take place.

Speaking of the position in the Punjab which he had recently visited twice, Col. Johnson said that the condition of the Punjabis was pitiful. There was a reign of terror there since the jails had been opened and no good purpose can be served by concealing the facts however inconvenient they may be to Mr. Montagu. Men true to the Raj last year were now boycotted, persecuted, bullied and threatened, while the Government seemed powerless to protect them. It was placing a premium on disloyalty. He fully appreciated the difficulties of the local Government in dealing with the boycott, but hoped the European Association and other public bodies would unite in calling on the Government of India to govern regardless of politicians at home and to give protection to the large body of Indians in the Punjab whose sole crime was that of having been loyal to the King-Emperor.

Finally, appealing to the audience to join and support the European Association, Col Johnson said that there were two things the Association could do: firstly, to save Burma from coming under the Indian Reform Scheme; and, secondly, to see that the Government govern India and does not allow its functions to be transferred to seditious agitators. He was neither a firebrand nor an agitator, but he felt that ceasing to wear uniform did not relieve him of the elementary obligation of doing his duty. India is suffering from a disease which, if not speedily checked, must have results as fatal as those of afflicted Russia and Ireland and he would be a false friend to India, unfaithful in his duty as a citizen if through fear of consequences, he hesitated to draw attention to it.

Col. Johnson's speech was enthusiastically received by a large audience of nearly 300, including over 30 ladies.

The next meeting of the Prince of Wales' Visit Committee, will be held in Simla on the 17th instant.—(A. P.).

General Sir Vere Fane left for Rangoon on Wednesday after lengthy interviews with the Chamber of Commerce, I. D. F. officers and others on the subject of the future auxiliary force.—(A. P.).

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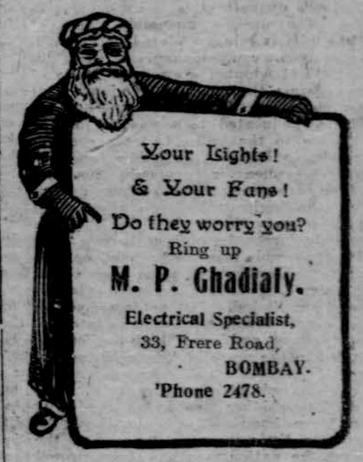

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JUNAGADH'S AMAZING ORDER.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I hope you will allow me second time to express my views regarding the amazing order of the Nawab Saheb of Junagadh, in the columns of your popular paper as you did on the previous occasion.

Now that the veracity of the order has been quite established it will not be out of place for me to state, inasmuch as it affects the Muslim students alone, that the reactionary step of the Nawab Saheb and his advisers has done a lot of mischief to the cause of Muslim education especially when the backwardness of the nation, in point of education is engaging the attention of our leaders. It also indicates how sometimes the affairs of a native State are managed in an arbitrary and irresponsible way. Leaving aside other secret intrigues which go to undermine the interests of one against another which can afford a sufficient material to an author who may write "the mysteries of the Court of Native States," and which are well known to those who have passed a considerable time in any native states. I will revert to the main deplorable distinction made between Kathiawadis and non-Kathiawadis. It shows how perverted the notion of those responsible counsellors who were instrumental in this affair is. However it is no wonder in these days, if some of the people take narrow view and act accordingly, for those days are gone when our outlook of our country was full and comprehensive. The perpetrators of this abominable injustice to the Muslim education should have known before issuing such orders that the welfare of India, her future progress on the path of education, and her interests are entirely dependent not upon the people of British India alone but upon the people of India taken as a whole irrespective of their being Kathiawadis and non-Kathiawadis, and of British subjects and Native State subjects (Indian States) who to quote "are the part and parcel of the seered soil of India and their minds are formed by the same confluence of forces which formed those of what is now called British India," and therefore every reactionary step in a Native State gives a set-back to the progress of India.

You will, I hope excuse me for a little digression from the main point of issue when I state to what this narrow view is due to. This decay or rather degeneration of the Indian Princes in recent time is due to the policy of Government interference. In the instance too it is just possible that the bold and independent views of some of the Sindhi students and also Gujrathi Muslim students with regard to certain question of the time must have enlisted the sympathy of some of the C.I.D. myrmidons whose chief benevolent duty is to prevent humanity from decay and degeneration and the Government must have thought it better to interfere—of course through benevolent motives—to save the Native States subjects from the contageous touch of these undesirables. Ignorance of the subjects is, no doubt a bliss for bureaucrats because with the advent of knowledge all ideas of undeserved praise and respectability vanish. The second cause of the degeneration is due to the faulty education which the Indian princes receive. In their colleges they learn nothing which can teach them sense of duty and beauty in life. They only aspire to become intellectual and moral Eurasions of the lowest order and thereby lose their true individualities." They are ignorant of new circumstances and hopes and have not been touched with the current of vivifying time-spirit.

Now coming to the memorable order of deportation of these undesirable foreigners, i.e., the non-Kathiawadi Students, No. c/2, it will be useful to note that there is not a tissue of pretence with regard to the well-being of the Junagad subjects. Driving away of the students from the college will not contribute so much to welfare of Junagad State as the encouragement of the subjects themselves by entrusting them with responsible posts in the State would do. I think that amongst the subjects of the Nawab Saheb there are able persons and qualified too who can as well serve the State in the capacity of a private secretary, dewan and niab dewan. And therefore the real service for the uplift of Junagad people would have been a wholesale ostracism of all foreign high officers as well as of foreign students. But it is not so: This together with certain glorious exceptions made in the case of certain non-Kathiawadi students who are well-to-do as I have heard, will drive many to the conclusion that either the whole lot of non-Kathiawadi Muslim students has been sacrificed for the personal animus of some of the high officers of the State against certain students or at the instance of the Government for their so-called undesirable nature. However, whatever the cause be it is rumoured that the order is to take effect for one year only—perhaps by that time the undesirable elements will be removed. But I will most respectfully appeal to the good sense of the Nawab Saheb and his advisers to kindly reconsider their order and again usher in the same era of brotherhood between Kathiawadis and non-Kathiawadis.

Lastly it will not be out of place if I were to express my heartfelt and sincere gratification at the conduct of Mr. Abraham who would I hope excuse me for mentioning his name as he may not be liking to advertise himself but my sense of duty compels me to do so—for his generous support to those who have joined the Baroda College. Mr. Abraham is a young Muslim graduate of liberal views and with a heart burning for the uplift of Muslim nation whether residing in Kathiawad or elsewhere, and I would recommend that his example must be followed by every true Muslim. I hope too, that the Munshi Saheb of Rajkot who has spared no pains for the cause of education, will also rise above the distinction of Kathiawadis and non-Kathiawadis and lend his helping hand to those students who are suffering a lot of inconveniences in other colleges.—Yours, etc.

A. U. S.

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MANDVI WARD ELECTION.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—The proceedings of the Bombay Municipal Corporation since the last elections have been of special interest to the voters of the different Wards. It seemed last year, when the new element was returned to the Corporation that matters would improve and that greater attention would be paid to the grievances of the voters than before. But the past year's experience has made it very clear that those new members who were elected have not at all justified their elections except a few honourable exceptions, most prominent among them being Mr. M. M. Kamdar.

Being a voter in the Mandvi Ward, I deem it my duty to sound a note of warning to the voters of that ward to vote for a candidate who would guard their interests. Hitherto, almost all the elected representatives of our ward have failed in their duty to our ward. The condition of the roads have not been improved, rather made worse by the new tram lines laid on the Sandhurst Road, where particularly at the Bhendy Bazar Junction the ground was extremely uneven, endangering vehicular traffic on that account.

The candidates now seeking election in the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Velji Lakhamsey are Dr. Poonsey H. Meishery, Mr Husein C. Mitha and Mr. Ibrahim S. Haji. It is essential, Sir, that the merits of all these candidates be tested by the voters before any one of them is returned to the Corporation. For this purpose I suggest, Sir, that all these candidates should be asked to make speeches outlining their programmes of work and giving definite pledges to remedy the unattended grievances and improving the insanitary conditions of the different quarters.

Such a course, Sir, would be the most effective remedy for the existing undesirable element in the elections at present. The qualifications for a candidate at present are his wealth and his influence. It is only because a candidate happens to be backed up by an influential member of society or happens to command some influence by reason of his wealth and status in society. It is the *birgani*, *pulav*, *bashoodi*, *doothpak*, aerated waters, conveyances, etc., that command the votes and not real sterling merits in the candidates.

Under the circumstances, Sir, I request all the candidates, seeking election, to make their election speeches and seek election on their merits and not on the influence they can command.—Yours, etc.,

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THE PRINCE OF WALES.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I shall feel grateful to you if you kindly insert the following few lines in your most valuable paper. While reading your issue of the 12th, I came across a few lines regarding the reception of His Royal Highness, The Prince of Wales. I infer that Mr. M. K. Gandhi is of opinion that we should not join in the reception of the Prince. We puts forth the argument that the present ministers are instrumental in sending the Prince to India so as to show to the world that India is happy and contented under their benign Goverment. I do not find any force in the cogency of the argument. If we are giving a hearty welcome to the Prince, the world is not so foolish as to form a false conception of Indian happiness. It is as clear as the day light that discontentment is prevailing in India on account of Khilafat and Punjab grievances. It is obvious that the germs of discontentment cannot be exterminated until and unless our grievances are wholly redressed. The world is cognizant of the fact that the ruthless tragedies are perpetrated in India and the perpetrators are not taken to task for that and hence India is clamorous to bring the perpetrators to justice. Our question is pending in the House of Commons and it will be a height of folly not to join in the reception of this present juncture. Moreover our cause will receive a disastrous blow and we shall lose our winning game if we feel inclined to boycott the present visit of our Prince. It is true that we are sick at heart on account of Khilafat and Punjab questions, but it affords us a golden opportunity to prove to the Britons and the Labour party, which espouses our cause in England, and to the world at large that we are not so weak-minded as not to accord a cordial welcome to our Royal guest. It is inconsistant with the nature of an Indian to show any lack of love for the Prince, who has no hand in the British Administration and who is not responsible for our grievances. It ought to be the bounded duty of each and every Indian to give a cordial welcome to the Prince.

I, as an insignificant being in India, urge, request and beseech you all my brethren to join in the reception and hope you will not fail to accede to the request of your humble servant.—Yours, etc.

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St. John the Evangelist (Afghan Memorial Church), Colaba.—8 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral); 10 a.m. Parade Service and Matins; 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Emmanuel Church (C.M.S.), Girgaum.—English Services—8-0 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion: 6-30 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon; Collections for the Additional Clergy Society. Marathi Service at 9-30 a.m.; Gujerati Service 2-30 p.m.

St. Paul's Church, Kamatipura.—10 a.m. Tamil Service (Holy Communion on alternate Sundays).

St. Mary the Virgin, Parel.—8-15 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral); 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

St. Nicholas' Church, opposite Prince's Dock.—10 a.m., Holy Communion; 7-30 p.m Evening Service.

Holy Trinity Church, Hornby Road.—8 a.m. Morning Prayer; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Holy Cross, Oomarkhadi.—8-30 a.m. Holy Communion (English); 7-30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon (Marathi); 9 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon (Gujerati); 6-30 p.m. Evening Service and Sermon. Marathi Service at 9-30 a.m.; Gujerati Service at 2-30 p.m.

The Good Shepherd, Dharavi.—7-30 a.m. Holy Communion or Matins, alternately; 5-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon, Tamil Service.

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St. Peter's Mazagon.—6-30 a.m. Holy Eucharist; 7-15 a.m. Matins and Litany; 8 a.m. Choral Eucharist; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

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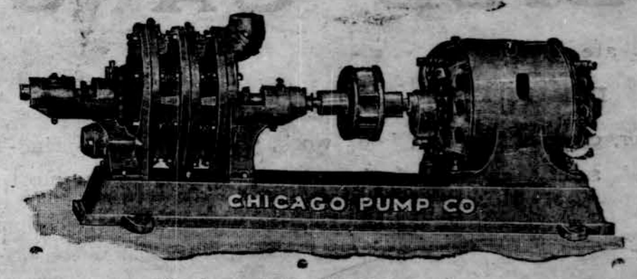

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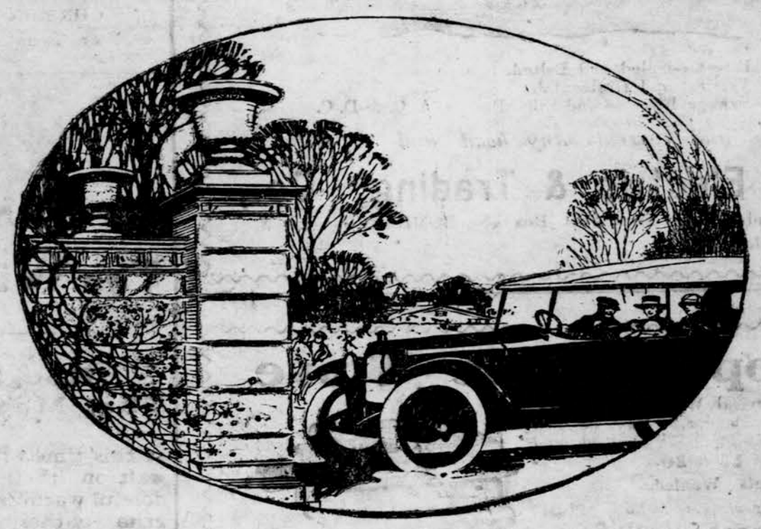

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